A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.

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

1	SECTION 1. Section 237-18, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is		
2	amended b	y amending subsection (e) to read as follows:	
3	"(e)	Where [insurance agents, including general agents,	
4	subagents	, or solicitors, commissions are produced by:	
5	(1)	Insurance producers who are not employees and are	
6		licensed pursuant to chapter 431[, or real];	
7	(2)	Real estate brokers or salespersons, who are not	
8		employees and are licensed pursuant to chapter 467[$ au$	
9		produce]; or	
10	(3)	Securities professionals, including brokers, dealers,	
11		salespersons, and investment advisers, licensed	
12		pursuant to chapter 485 or applicable federal	
13		securities laws,	
14	and the commissions [which] are divided between [such general		
15	agents, subagents, or solicitors, or between such] those		
16	insurance producers, or those real estate brokers [er] and		
17	salespersons, or those securities professionals, as the case may		
18	be, the tax levied under section 237-13(6) as to real estate		
		SB2499 HD1 HMS 2006-2766	

- 1 brokers or salespersons $[\tau]$ and securities professionals, or
- 2 under section 237-13(7) as to insurance [general agents,
- 3 subagents, or solicitors producers, shall apply to each [such]
- 4 person with respect to the person's portion of the commissions,
- 5 and no more."
- 6 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 7 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 8 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval
- 9 and shall apply to taxable years beginning after December
- **10** 31, 2005.

5B 2499 5D2

Report Title:

Investment Securities; Broker and Agent; General Excise Tax

Description:

Requires an investment broker and agent who share compensation for their services to pay the general excise tax on only that portion of the compensation retained by each. (SB2499 HD1)