## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 201G, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by adding a new section in part IV to be appropriately
- 3 designated and to read as follows:
- 4 "\\$201G- Temporary emergency housing. (a) In addition
- 5 to any other duties prescribed by law, the administration shall
- 6 develop in consultation with the four counties a procedure for
- 7 identifying locations that shall be used for temporary emergency
- 8 shelters for homeless individuals and families. The
- 9 administration shall actively partner with and monitor the
- 10 efforts of the counties.
- 11 (b) Each county shall be responsible for partnering with
- 12 non-profit organizations to locate, designate, and maintain the
- 13 areas that shall be used for temporary emergency shelters. The
- 14 designated locations may include private, county, and state
- 15 lands, and federal lands at Kalaeloa.
- 16 (c) The administration shall pursue and secure Barbers
- 17 Point Barracks as temporary housing for homeless families and
- 18 individuals.

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(d) The administration shall submit an annual report to
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    the legislature detailing the activities and outcomes under this
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    section no later than twenty days prior to the convening of each
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    regular session."
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         SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
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    revenues of the State of Hawaii the following sums or so much
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    thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007 to assist
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    the counties in implementing section 201G- (b), Hawaii Revised
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    Statutes, and this Act:
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              City and county of Honolulu
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              County of Kauai
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              County of Maui
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              County of Hawaii
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              Total
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         The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
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    of budget and finance for the purposes of this Act.
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         SECTION 3. The sums appropriated under section 2 of this
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    Act shall constitute the State's share of the cost of mandated
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    programs under Article VIII, Section 5, of the State
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    Constitution.
         SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general
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    revenues of the State of Hawaii the following sum or so much
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- 1 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007 to assist
- 2 the administration in implementing section 201G- (c), Hawaii
- 3 Revised Statutes, and this Act:
- 4 Hawaii public housing administration \$
- 5 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 6 human services for the purposes of this Act.
- 7 SECTION 5. New statutory material is underscored.
- 8 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2020;
- 9 provided that sections 2 and 3 shall take effect on
- 10 July 1, 2020; and provided further that this Act shall be
- 11 repealed on June 30, 2009.

## Report Title:

HPHA; Homelessness; Temporary Emergency Shelters

## Description:

Requires the Hawaii Public Housing Administration to actively partner with the counties to identify locations for temporary emergency shelters for homeless individuals and families.

Appropriates funds. (SD1)