## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 237, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to read as follows: 2 Women, Infants and Children Program food items; 3 "§237general excise tax exemption. (a) Amounts received for the 4 purchase of any food as part of the federal Special Supplemental 5 Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children shall be exempt from general excise tax pursuant to this chapter. 7 The department shall create rules, including any forms 8 or procedures, pursuant to chapter 91 to effectuate this 9 10 section." SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored. 11 SECTION 3. This Act, upon its approval, shall apply to 12 gross regaipts collected after December 31, 2007. 13 14

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## Report Title:

General Excise Tax; WIC Recommended Foods

## Description:

Provides a general excise tax exemption for amounts received for the purchase of any food recommended by the Women, Infants and Children Food Program.