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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

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

1        SECTION 1. Section 353-32, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 repealed.

3        ["~~§353-32~~] ~~Gifts.~~ (a) Notwithstanding any other law to  
4 the contrary, the department may receive, use, manage, and  
5 invest moneys or property, real, personal, or mixed, which may  
6 be given, bequeathed, devised, or in any other manner provided  
7 from sources other than the legislature or the federal  
8 government, for any purpose authorized by this chapter and not  
9 inconsistent with any terms or conditions imposed by the donor,  
10 subsection (b), or chapter 84.

11        (b) A gift of money shall be deposited by the director of  
12 finance in a separate account in the state treasury and expended  
13 in accordance with law and any terms and conditions that may  
14 pertain to the gift. Unless otherwise specified as a term or  
15 condition, the department may convert a gift of property into  
16 money. Income derived from property or the conversion of  
17 property may be used to pay for the storage, handling, and  
18 distribution of other properties held by the department.



1                   (c) All expenditures made pursuant to this section shall  
2 be subject to the approval of the director of public safety.  
3                   (d) The department shall maintain records of each gift,  
4 the essential facts of the management thereof, details relating  
5 to expenditures of all moneys made pursuant to this section, and  
6 the current disposition, use, and condition of each gifted  
7 property held by the department. This information shall be  
8 compiled and transmitted annually to the legislature and the  
9 governor, and shall be made available to the general public free  
10 of charge."]

11                 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
12 and stricken.

13                 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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**Report Title:**

Department of Public Safety; Gifts

**Description:**

Repeals section 353-32, Hawaii Revised Statutes, which provides that gifts of money or property donated to the department of public safety must be deposited in the state treasury and reported to the legislature by the department annually.

