A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARDS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to appropriate
- 2 federal Reed Act moneys to the department of labor and
- 3 industrial relations to assist the State's four local workforce
- 4 investment boards. The funds will be used by the local boards:
- 5 (1) To improve employer outreach and services;
- 6 (2) For labor force pool expansion;
- 7 (3) Capacity building; and
- 8 (4) To fund some shared costs for the operations of the
- 9 one-stop career centers.
- 10 Further, this Act is also intended to conform to the
- 11 provisions of P.L. 107-147, Temporary Extended Unemployment
- 12 Compensation Act of 2002, signed by the President of the United
- 13 States of America on March 9, 2002.
- 14 SECTION 2. There is appropriated from the unemployment
- 15 insurance trust fund from moneys deposited pursuant to section
- 16 383-123(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes, the sum of \$ or

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1 so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2008-2009 for the purposes specified in this Act as follows: 2 3 The sum of: (1)shall be allocated to the Oahu workforce 4 5 investment board, which shall work in collaboration 6 with the city and county of Honolulu; shall be allocated to the Maui workforce 7 (2) \$ investment board, which shall work in collaboration 8 9 with the county of Maui; 10 (3) \$ shall be allocated to the Kauai workforce 11 investment board, which shall work in collaboration with the county of Kauai; and 12 13 (4) \$2,000,000 shall be allocated to the Hawaii workforce 14 investment board, which shall work in collaboration with the county of Hawaii; 15 to improve employer outreach and services, labor force pool 16 expansion, capacity building, and to fund some of the shared 17 costs for the operations of the one-stop career centers within 18 19 each county. The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of 20 labor and industrial relations for the purposes of this Act; 21 provided that each county workforce investment board shall 22

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- 1 submit a workforce development plan that shall be approved by
- 2 the workforce development council prior to the release of funds
- 3 by the department of labor and industrial relations.
- 4 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2008.

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Report Title:

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Description:

Appropriates federal Reed Act money to the department of labor and industrial relations to assist the State's four local workforce investment boards.