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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the establishment of
- 2 a revolving fund for the department of education's office of
- 3 Hawaii child nutrition program is necessary to account for the
- 4 receipts from the administrative fees charged to the recipient
- 5 agencies for the distribution of federal commodity foods.
- 6 The legislature further finds that the United States
- 7 Department of Agriculture Food and Nutrition Service, Western
- 8 Region Office, monitors and approves the administrative fees
- 9 charged to the recipient agencies. However, federal legislation
- 10 does not allow the department of education to expend federal
- 11 moneys for the operations of state contracted warehouses.
- 12 The purpose of this Act is to create a revolving fund for
- 13 the collection and disbursement of generated revenue to support
- 14 the administration and operation of the department of education
- 15 food distribution program.

S.B. NO. 94

1	SECT	CION 2. Chapter 302A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended b	y adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3	and to read as follows:	
4	"§302A- Food distribution program revolving fund. (a)	
5	There is	established the food distribution program revolving
6	fund to be administered by the department.	
7	(d)	The food distribution program revolving fund shall
8	consist c	<u>of:</u>
9	(1)	Administrative fees collected by the department for
10		administering and operating the food distribution
11		program;
12	(2)	All interest earned on the deposit or investment of
13		moneys in the food distribution program revolving
14		fund; and
15	(3)	Any other moneys made available to the food
16		distribution program revolving fund from other
17		sources.
18	(c)	The revolving fund shall be used by the department for
19	the colle	ction and disbursement of generated revenue to support
20	the admin	istration and operation of the food distribution
21	program.	

1	(d) The balance in the food distribution program revolving		
2	fund shall not exceed the sum of \$2,000,000, or so much thereof		
3	as may be necessary to pay for services rendered by the state		
4	contracted warehouses for the distribution of federal commodity		
5	foods to the recipient agencies. Any moneys remaining in the		
6	revolving in excess of \$2,000,000 at the end of each fiscal year		
7	shall be lapsed to the credit of the general fund.		
8	(e) The food distribution program revolving fund shall not		
9	be used for:		
10	(1) Consultant or personal services rendered;		
11	(2) Travel expenses that may include conference		
12	registration, per diem, airfare; or		
13	(3) Purchase of furniture, equipment, computer hardware,		
14	or office supplies."		
15	SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.		
16	SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2007.		
17	INTRODUCED BY: Sommen Sakons for		
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Report Title:

Department of Education Revolving Fund

Description:

Establish a revolving fund for the department of education in order for it to disburse revenue in support of its food distribution program.