HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE, 2010 STATE OF HAWAII

H.B. NO. 2285

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ESTATE AND TRANSFER TAX.

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

1	SECTION 1. Section 236D-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by adding a new definition to be appropriately inserted
3	and to read as follows:
4	""Internal Revenue Code" means the federal Internal Revenue
5	Code of 1986, as amended and renumbered, except for sections
6	2011 and 2604 of the Internal Revenue Code as they existed on
7	December 31, 2000."
8	SECTION 2. Section 236D-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
9	amended by amending the definitions of "federal credit",
10	"generation-skipping transfer", "gross estate", "personal
11	representative", "section 2011", "taxable estate", and
12	"transfer" to read:
13	""Federal credit" means:
14	(1) For a transfer, the maximum amount of the credit for
15	state death taxes allowed by section 2011 for the
16	decedent's adjusted taxable estate; and
17	(2) For a generation-skipping transfer, the maximum amount
18	of the credit for state taxes allowed by section 2604
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1 of the [federal] Internal Revenue Code [of 1986,-as 2 amended or renumbered.] as it existed on December 31, 3 2000. "Generation-skipping transfer" means a generation-skipping 4 5 transfer as defined and used in section 2611 of the [federal] 6 Internal Revenue Code [of 1986, as-amended or renumbered]. 7 "Gross estate" means gross estate as defined and used in 8 sections 2031 to [2045] 2046 of the [federal] Internal Revenue 9 Code [of 1986, as amended or renumbered]. 10 "Personal representative" means the personal representative of a decedent appointed under chapter 560, and includes an 11 executor (as defined under section 2203 of the [federal] 12 13 Internal Revenue Code [of 1986, as amended or renumbered]), 14 administrator, successor personal representative, special administrator, and persons who perform substantially the same 15 function under the law governing their status. 16 17 "Section 2011" means section 2011 of the [federal] Internal 18 Revenue Code [of 1986, as amended or renumbered.] as it existed on December 31, 2000. 19 "Taxable estate" means taxable estate as defined in 20 21 sections 2051 to 2056 of the [federal] Internal Revenue Code [of 22 1986, as amended or renumbered.] and section 2058 of the HB LRB 10-0716-1.doc 2

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1	Internal Revenue Code, with respect to estates of decedents
2	dying and generation-skipping transfers, after December 31,
3	2004.
4	"Transfer" means transfer as defined and used in section
5	2001 of the [federal] Internal Revenue Code [of-1986, as amended
6	or renumbered]."
7	SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
8	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
9	SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval;
10	provided that this Act shall:
11	(1) Apply to property or interests that pass from any
12	individual who dies after December 31, 2009, and to
13	generation-skipping transfers after December 31, 2009;
14	and
15	(2) Be repealed on December 31, 2010; provided that
16	section 236D-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be
17	reenacted in the form in which it read on the day
18	before the effective date of this Act.
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Description:

Retains the State's ability to "pick-up" the state death tax credit as it existed in the Internal Revenue Code before the enactment of the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001.

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