A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CHILD WELFARE SERVICES.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The department of human services shall amend
- 2 its rules pursuant to chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to
- 3 the effect that, effective July 1, 2009, the foster board
- 4 payment rate paid to licensed foster families shall increase
- 5 from \$529 per month to \$ per month.
- 6 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 7 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 8 begun, before its effective date.
- 9 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Child Welfare Services; Foster Board Payment

Description:

Directs the department of human services to increase the foster board payment rate paid to licensed foster families, effective 07/01/09.