A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TOURISM.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. (a) The Hawaii tourism authority shall conduct
- 2 a study to determine the feasibility of bringing sporting and
- 3 cultural events from Asia to Hawaii for purposes of encouraging
- 4 visitor and media travel to the state.
- 5 (b) The authority shall explore various types of sporting
- 6 and cultural events from all areas of Asia. The study shall
- 7 include an analysis of potential costs and revenue if such
- 8 events were held in Hawaii, including media-generated revenue.
- 9 (c) The Hawaii tourism authority shall submit a report of
- 10 its findings and recommendations to the legislature no later
- 11 than twenty days prior to the convening of the 2011 regular
- 12 session.
- 13 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Tourism Feasibility Study; Sporting and Cultural Events

Description:

Requires the Hawaii Tourism Authority to conduct a study on the feasibility of bringing sporting and cultural events from Asia to Hawaii to encourage visitor and media travel to the state. (HB340 HD1)

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