**S**.B. NO. 2658

JAN 25 2010

# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ACCESS HAWAII COMMITTEE.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 27G, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
 and to read as follows:
 <u>\$27G-</u> <u>Access Hawaii committee special fund.</u> There is
 <u>established in the state treasury the access Hawaii committee</u>

special fund, into which shall be deposited fees collected by
the information and communication services division within the
department of accounting and general services for the purpose of
supporting the access Hawaii committee. Expenditures from the
access Hawaii committee special fund shall be approved by the
access Hawaii committee."

12 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the access Hawaii 13 committee special fund the sum of \$185,000, or so much thereof 14 as may be necessary, for fiscal year 2010-2011 for the purposes 15 of supporting the access Hawaii committee.

16 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the access Hawaii17 committee for the purposes of this Act.

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SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
 INTRODUCED BY:
 BY REQUEST

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#### Report Title:

Department of Accounting and General Services; Access Hawaii Committee Special Fund

### Description:

Establishes the Access Hawaii Committee Special Fund.

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#### JUSTIFICATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT:

TITLE:

PURPOSE:

Accounting and General Services

A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACCESS HAWAII COMMITTEE.

To establish the Access Hawaii Committee Special Fund that shall receive fees collected by the Information and Communication Services Division within the Department of Accounting and General Services from the portal contract.

MEANS:

JUSTIFICATION:

By adding a new section to chapter 27G, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

By establishing a special fund, the Access Hawaii Committee will be able to exercise the provision in the contract that assesses the contractor a monthly fee to cover administrative and operational overhead costs. Without this special fund, there is no mechanism to collect fees.

Impact on the public: The public will gain improved access to governmental information and transactions.

Impact on the department and other agencies: Departments and other agencies would increase adoption of their online services to the public.

None.

Special fund \$185,000.

OTHER FUNDS:

GENERAL FUND:

PPBS PROGRAM DESIGNATION:

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OTHER AFFECTED AGENCIES:

Executive Branch agencies, Judiciary, Legislature, City and County of Honolulu, Counties of Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

Upon approval.

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