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EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

NEIL ABERCROMBIE
GOVERNOR

May 26, 2011

The Honorable Shan Tsutsui, President and Members of the Senate Twenty-Sixth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 The Honorable Calvin Say, Speaker and Members of the House Twenty-Sixth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Tsutsui, Speaker Say and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on May 26, 2011, the following bill was signed into law:

HB838 HD2 SD1 CD1

RELATING TO REAPPORTIONMENT Act 059 (11)

NEIL ABERCROMBIE Governor, State of Hawaii **ORIGINAL**

ACT 059

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE, 2011 STATE OF HAWAII H.B. NO. 838 H.D. 2 S.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO REAPPORTIONMENT.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. This Act is recommended by the governor for immediate passage in accordance with section 9 of article VII of 2 3 the Constitution of the State of Hawaii. SECTION 2. The purpose of this Act is to make an emergency 4 5 appropriation to: Fund five full-time, temporary positions, authorized 6 (1)by this Act, in the office of elections to provide 7 support to the reapportionment commission; and 8 (2) Provide funds for the functions of the reapportionment 9 commission, office of elections, and the elections 10 commission in regards to reapportionment. 11 Without an emergency appropriation and the authorization of 12 full-time temporary positions in the office of elections, the 13 reapportionment commission will not be able to complete its 14 15 work. There is authorized five full-time, temporary SECTION 3. 16
- positions in the office of elections to provide support to the reapportionment commission.

- 1 SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general
- 2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$664,430 or so much
- 3 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2010-2011 for the
- 4 purpose of supporting the functions of the office of elections,
- 5 the elections commission, and the reapportionment commission in
- 6 regards to reapportionment.
- 7 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 8 accounting and general services for the purposes of this Act.
- 9 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 26 day of MAY

, 2011

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII