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A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

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

SECTION 1. The legislature finds that Hawaii imports most
of its beef and only a small percentage of the cattle raised in
Hawaii are consumed within the State. The majority of locally raised cattle are shipped to the mainland for finishing and
slaughter.

6 The legislature has long recognized the benefits of 7 maintaining the viability of the State's beef industry for local 8 consumption in an effort to increase Hawaii's food self-

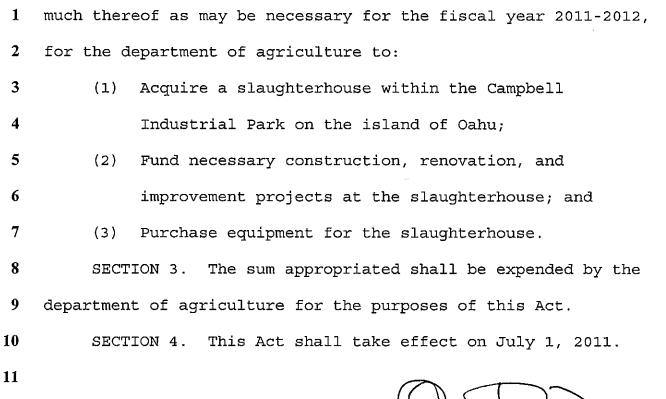
9 sufficiency and overall sustainability.

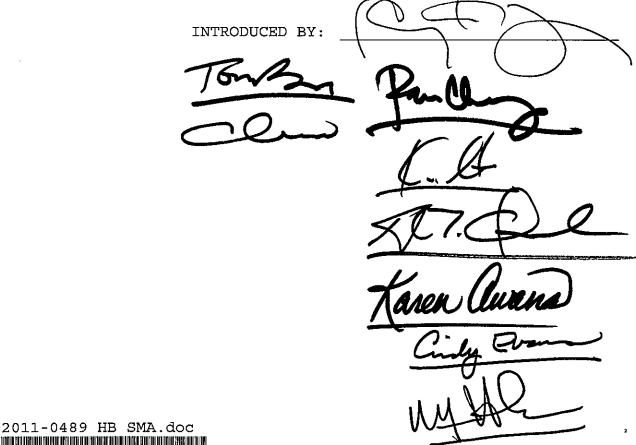
10 The legislature also finds that adequate resources are 11 necessary to promote ranching and an increase in cattle 12 production.

13 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate moneys to the 14 department of agriculture to purchase a slaughterhouse within 15 the Campbell Industrial Park on the island of Oahu and to make 16 necessary capital improvements thereto.

17 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general 18 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$1,000,000, or so 2011-0489 HB SMA.doc

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Report Title:

Appropriation; Department of Agriculture; Campbell Industrial Park; Slaughterhouse

Description:

Appropriates funds to the department of agriculture to: acquire a slaughterhouse within the Campbell Industrial Park on the island of Oahu; to fund necessary construction, renovation, and improvement projects; and to purchase equipment for the slaughterhouse.

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