THE SENATE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE, 2011 STATE OF HAWAII **S.B. NO.** ¹²⁷ s.d. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING A GRANT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE DEAF CENTER.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that a center providing 2 comprehensive services for deaf, hard of hearing, and deaf-blind individuals in Hawaii has been the dream of the deaf community 3 4 in Hawaii since 1972. The creation of a comprehensive deaf 5 center is intended to promote individual growth, social 6 awareness, productivity, and equality by empowering deaf, hard 7 of hearing, and deaf-blind persons to be full participants in 8 Hawaii's overall community.

9 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate funds to the 10 department of human services as a grant for the establishment 11 and operation of a comprehensive deaf center.

SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2011-2012 as a grant, pursuant to chapter 42F, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for the establishment of a comprehensive deaf center.

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| 1 | The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of |
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| 2 | human services for the purposes of this Act. |
| 3 | SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general |
| 4 | revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much |
| 5 | thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2012-2013 to provide |
| 6 | funding for grants pursuant to chapter 42F, Hawaii Revised |
| 7 | Statutes, for the operation of a comprehensive deaf center. |
| 8 | The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of |
| 9 | human services for the purposes of this Act. |
| 10 | SECTION 4 This Act shall take effect on July 1. 2050. |



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Report Title:

Comprehensive Deaf Center; Appropriation; Grant

Description:

Appropriates moneys for a grant to establish and operate a comprehensive deaf center. Effective 07/01/2050. (SD1)

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