A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.

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

SECTION 1. Section 251-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 1 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows: 2 There is levied and shall be assessed and collected 3 "(a) 4 each month a rental motor vehicle surcharge tax of \$7.50 a day, except that after June 30, [2012,] 2017, the tax shall be \$3 a 5 day, or any portion of a day that a rental motor vehicle is 6 rented or leased. The rental motor vehicle surcharge tax shall 7 be levied upon the lessor; provided that the tax shall not be 8 levied on the lessor if: 9 The lessor is renting the vehicle to replace a vehicle 10 (1)of the lessee that is being repaired; and 11 (2) A record of the repair order for the vehicle is 12 retained either by the lessor for two years for 13 verification purposes or by a motor vehicle repair 14 dealer for two years as provided in section 437B-16." 15 SECTION 2. Section 251-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 16

amended to read as follows:

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- 1 "\$251-5 Remittances. All remittances of surcharge taxes
- 2 imposed under this chapter shall be made by cash, bank draft,
- 3 cashier's check, money order, or certificate of deposit to the
- 4 office of the taxation district to which the return was
- 5 transmitted. The department shall deposit the moneys into the
- 6 state treasury to the credit of the state highway fund; provided
- 7 that of the rental motor vehicle surcharge taxes assessed and
- 8 collected pursuant to section 251-2(a), the equivalent of
- 9 [\$4.50] \$3.50 of the tax assessed and collected per day shall be
- 10 deposited into the state treasury to the credit of the general
- 11 fund."
- 12 SECTION 3. Act 104, Session Laws of Hawaii 2011, is
- 13 amended by amending section 8 to read as follows:
- "SECTION 8. This Act shall take effect on June 30, 2011;
- 15 provided that part II of this Act shall take effect on July 1,
- 16 2011; provided further that on June 30, [2012,] 2017, sections 4
- 17 and 5 of this Act shall be repealed and sections 251-5 and 261-
- 18 7, Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be reenacted in the form in
- 19 which they read on the day before the effective date of this
- 20 Act."
- 21 SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 22 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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1 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on June 29, 2012.

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Report Title:

Transportation

Description:

Reduces remittance of rental vehicle surcharge to the general fund from \$4.50 to \$3.50. Extends sunset date for Act 104, sections 4 and 5, SLH 2011, from 2012 to 2017.

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