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NEIL ABERCROMBIE GOVERNOR

March 10, 2014

The Honorable Donna Mercado Kim,
President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki, Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives Twenty-Seventh State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Kim, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on March 10, 2014, the following bill was signed into law:

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MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, THE OMBUDSMAN, AND THE ETHICS COMMISSION ACT 002 (14)

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TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE, 2014
STATE OF HAWAII

H.B. NO. 2650 H.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, THE OMBUDSMAN, AND THE ETHICS COMMISSION.

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

1	SECT	ION 1. There is appropriated out of the general	
2	revenues	of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$8,324,033 or so much	
3	thereof as may be necessary to the senate for the following		
4	expenses:		
5	(1)	The sum of \$7,086,533 for defraying any and all	
6		session and nonsession expenses of the senate up to	
7		and including June 30, 2015, including the 2014	
8		regular session, twenty-seventh legislature of the	
9		State of Hawaii, and pre-session expenses and the	
10		expenses of any committee or committees established	
11 .		during the interim between the 2014 and 2015 regular	
12		sessions;	
13	(2)	The sum of \$1,150,000 for defraying the expenses of	
14		the legislative information system for cost items such	
15		as hardware, software, consultants, installation,	
16		materials, supplies, and other related costs	

1		associated with the legislative information system
2		that have been or will be incurred; and
3	(3)	The sum of \$87,500 for defraying the cost of the
4		legislative broadcasting program to pay for the
5	•	production and distribution of television broadcasts
6	•	of legislative proceedings.
7	The	sum appropriated in this section shall be expended by
8	the senat	e.
9	SECT	ION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
10	revenues	of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$11,428,576 or so
11	much thereof as may be necessary to the house of representative	
12	for the following expenses:	
13	(1)	The sum of \$10,402,652 for defraying any and all
14		session and nonsession expenses of the house of
15		representatives up to and including June 30, 2015,
16		including the 2014 regular session, twenty-seventh
17		legislature of the State of Hawaii, and pre-session
18	•	expenses and the expenses of any committee or
19		committees established during the interim between the
20		2014 and 2015 regular sessions;
21	(2)	The sum of \$938,424 for defraying the expenses of the
22		legislative information system for cost items such as

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1	hardware, software, consultants, installation,				
2	materials, supplies, and other related costs				
3	associated with the legislative information system				
4	that have been or will be incurred; and				
5	(3) The sum of \$87,500 for defraying the cost of the				
6	legislative broadcasting program to pay for the				
7	production and distribution of television broadcasts				
8	of legislative proceedings.				
9	The sum appropriated in this section shall be expended by				
10	the house of representatives.				
11	SECTION 3. Payment of expenses of the senate during the				
12	interim between the 2014 and 2015 regular sessions shall be made				
13	only with the approval of the president of the senate, and				
14	payment of expenses of the house of representatives during the				
15	interim between the 2014 and 2015 regular sessions shall be made				
16	only with the approval of the speaker of the house of				
17	representatives.				
18	SECTION 4. Before January 21, 2015, the senate and the				
19	house of representatives shall each have their accounts audited,				
20	and a full report of the respective audits shall be presented to				
21	the senate and to the house of representatives convening on				
22	January 21, 2015.				



1	SECTION 5.	Unless otherwise prescribed by law, the	
2	expenses of any	member of the legislature while traveling abroad	
3	on official busi	ness of the legislature shall be \$145 a day as	
4	authorized by th	e president of the senate and the speaker of the	
5	house of represe	ntatives.	
6	SECTION 6. There is appropriated out of the general		
7	revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$2,793,849 or so much		
8	thereof as may b	e necessary to the office of the auditor for the	
9	following expens	es:	
10	(1) The su	m of \$2,643,849 for defraying the expenses of	
11	the of	fice of the auditor during fiscal year	
12	2014-2	015; and	
13	(2) The su	m of \$150,000 during fiscal year 2014-2015 for:	
14	(A) P	erforming special studies;	
15	(B) I	mproving capabilities for planning, programming,	
16	а	nd budgeting;	
17	(C) F	ulfilling other special requests made of the	
18	a	uditor by the legislature or jointly by the	
19	р	resident of the senate and the speaker of the	
20	h	ouse of representatives;	
21	(D) L	egislative studies and contractual services for	
22	t	hose studies; and	

1	(E) Such other purposes as may be determined by the			
2	joint action of the president of the senate and			
3	the speaker of the house of representatives.			
4	The sum appropriated in this section shall be expended by			
5	the auditor.			
6	SECTION 7. There is appropriated out of the general			
7	revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$2,800,000 or so muc			
8	thereof as may be necessary to the office of the auditor during			
9	fiscal year 2014-2015 to be deposited into the audit revolving			
10	fund established pursuant to section 23-3.6, Hawaii Revised			
11	Statutes.			
12	SECTION 8. There is appropriated out of the audit			
13	revolving fund the sum of \$6,300,000 or so much thereof as may			
14	be necessary to the office of the auditor during fiscal year			
15	2014-2015 for the office to conduct or complete its audit			
16	functions as provided by law.			
17	The sum appropriated in this section shall be expended by			
18	the auditor.			
19	SECTION 9. There is appropriated out of the general			
20	revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$3,263,947 or so much			
21	thereof as may be necessary to the legislative reference bureau			
22	for defraying the expenses of the legislative reference bureau			

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- 1 during fiscal year 2014-2015, including equipment relating to
- 2 computer systems programming and operations.
- 3 The sum appropriated in this section shall be expended by
- 4 the legislative reference bureau.
- 5 SECTION 10. There is appropriated out of the general
- 6 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$1,085,728 or so much
- 7 thereof as may be necessary to the office of the ombudsman for
- 8 defraying the expenses of the office during fiscal year
- 9 2014-2015.
- 10 The sum appropriated in this section shall be expended by
- 11 the ombudsman.
- 12 SECTION 11. There is appropriated out of the general
- 13 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$909,531 or so much
- 14 thereof as may be necessary to the office of the state ethics
- 15 commission for defraying the expenses of the office during
- 16 fiscal year 2014-2015.
- 17 The sum appropriated in this section shall be expended by
- 18 the state ethics commission.
- 19 SECTION 12. Except for moneys in the audit revolving fund,
- 20 as of the close of business on June 30, 2015, the unexpended or
- 21 unencumbered balance of any appropriation made by this Act shall
- 22 lapse into the general fund.

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- 1 SECTION 13. Each section of this Act is declared to be
- 2 severable from the remainder of this Act.
- 3 SECTION 14. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 10 day of MAR , 2014

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII