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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE EAST-WEST CENTER.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The East-West Center promotes better relations 2 and understanding among the people and nations of the United
- 3 States, Asia, and the Pacific through cooperative study,
- 4 research, and dialogue. Established by the United States
- 5 Congress in 1960, the East-West Center serves as a resource for
- 6 information and analysis on critical issues of common concern,
- 7 bringing people together to exchange views, build expertise, and
- ${f 8}$  develop policy options. The East-West Center is an independent,
- 9 public, nonprofit organization with funding from the United
- 10 States government, and additional support provided by private
- 11 agencies, individuals, foundations, corporations, and
- 12 governments in the region. The East-West Center is located
- 13 midway between Asia and the United States mainland and features
- 14 research, residential, and international conference facilities.
- 15 The legislature finds that the late United States Senator
- 16 Daniel K. Inouye was instrumental in obtaining federal funding
- 17 for the East-West Center. In honor of his legacy, the purpose

- 1 of this Act is to rename the East-West Center to the Daniel K.
- 2 Inouye East-West Center.
- 3 SECTION 2. Act 82, Session Laws of Hawaii 1975, is amended
- 4 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to
- 5 read as follows:
- 6 "SECTION 2A. Beginning January 1, 2014, the East-West
- 7 center shall be known as the "Daniel K. Inouye East-West
- 8 Center"."
- 9 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
- 10 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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### Report Title:

East-West Center

### Description:

Renames the East-West Center to the Daniel K. Inouye East-West Center.

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