A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The State is emerging from one of the most
- 2 challenging economic periods in its history. One of the clear
- 3 lessons learned from this experience is the necessity of having
- 4 sufficient fiscal reserves to help carry the State through the
- 5 worst conditions. Now that the economy is rebounding and more
- 6 revenues are available, a concerted effort must be made to
- 7 recapitalize the State's depleted fiscal reserves as
- 8 expeditiously as possible.
- 9 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate general funds to
- 10 the emergency and budget reserve fund. As the State continues
- 11 its economic recovery, accelerated recapitalization of this
- 12 fiscal reserve fund is prudent and fiscally sound.
- 13 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 14 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
- 15 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2014-2015 for
- 16 the purpose of recapitalizing the emergency and budget reserve
- 17 fund established in section 328L-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes.



- 1 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 2 budget and finance for the purposes of this Act.
- 3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2014.

Report Title:

Emergency and Budget Reserve Fund; Appropriation

Description:

Makes a general fund appropriation of an unspecified sum for fiscal year 2014-2015 to recapitalize the emergency and budget reserve fund. (SD1)

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