A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES.

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

1	PART I		
2	SECTION 1. The following sums or so much thereof as	may be	
3	necessary for fiscal year 2015-2016 are appropriated out o	f the	
4	general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the department	of the	
5	attorney general for the purpose of satisfying claims for		
6	legislative relief as to the following named persons, firms,		
7	corporations, and entities, for claims against the State or its		
8	officers or employees for the overpayment of taxes, or for		
9	refunds, reimbursements, payments of judgments or settlements,		
10	or other liabilities, in the amounts set forth opposite th	eir	
11	names:		
12 13 14	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:	UNT	
15 16	1. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:		
17 18		500.00 lement	
19 20 21	Hawaii Gov't Empl. Assoc., et al. v. \$ 100, State of Hawaii, et al.	000.00	
22		lement	

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1 2 3		Waiakamilo Properties, LLC	\$ 58,286.00 Settlement
5 6 7 8		Garner, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 03-1-000305, First Circuit Kliternick, et al. v. Matayoshi, et al. Civil No. 05-1-00031, First Circuit Kawashima v. State of Hawaii, et al.	\$ 3,025,942.99
9		Civil No. 06-1-0244-02, First Circuit	Settlement
10 11 12 13		Grimm, et al. v. Esibill, et al. Civil No. 14-1-0452-02, First Circuit	\$ 1,250,000.00 Settlement
14 15 16		E.R.K., et al. v. Department of Education Civil No. 10-00436 SOM-KSC, USDC	\$ 100,000.00 Order
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18		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 4,616,728.99
19 20 21	2.	DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS:	
22 23 24		Darnell v. County of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 09-1-0146, Third Circuit	\$ 200,000.00 Settlement
25 26 27		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 200,000.00
28	3.	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH:	
29 30 31 32		Mahi v. Department of Health, et al. Civil No. 13-1-0250, Fifth Circuit	\$ 20,000.00 Settlement
33 34 35		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 20,000.00
36	4.	DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES:	
37 38 39		EPA Notice of Violation of Safe Drinking Water Act to Dept. of Land and Nat. Res.	\$ 50,000.00 Settlement
40 41		Isele-DeVita, et al. v.	\$ 135,000.00

1 2 3		State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 13-1-548K, Third Circuit	Settlement
4 5 6		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 185,000.00
7	5.	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES:	
8 9 10 11		Booth v. Wong Civil No. 10-00680, USDC	\$ 165,527.60 Judgment
12 13 14		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 165,527.60
15	6.	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:	
16 17 18		Persin v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 13-1-1571-05, First Circuit	\$ 4,000,000.00 Settlement
19 20 21 22		Subia, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 14-1-1443-06 GWBC, First Circuit	\$ 625,000.00 Settlement
23 24 25		Avila v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 13-1-3149-12 ECN, First Circuit	\$ 35,000.00 Settlement
26		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 4,660,000.00
27 28 29	7.	MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS:	
30		Kasey M. Dowling	\$ 600.00
31 32 33		Judy M. Takano	\$ 736.20
34 35		Phillips-Van Heusen Corp.	\$ 207,127.99
36 37		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 208,464.19
38		Total (PART 1):	\$ 10,055,720.78

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1	The sums appropriated shall be expended by	the d	epartment
2	of the attorney general for the purposes of this	part	•
3	PART II		
4	SECTION 2. The following sums or so much t	hereo	f as may be
5	necessary for fiscal year 2015-2016 are appropri	ated	out of the
6	state highway fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for		
7	legislative relief as to the following named per	sons,	for claims
8	against the State or its officers or employees for payments of		
9	judgments or settlements, or other liabilities,	in th	ie amoun t
10	set forth opposite their names:		·
11 12	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:		AMOUNT
13 14 15	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS DIVISION:		
16 17 18	8. Le v. Turtle Bay Resort, LLC, et al. Civil No. 13-1-1885-17, First Circuit	\$	650,000.00 Settlement
19 20	Faith Action for Comm. Equity, et al. v. Hawaii Dept. of Trans., et al.	\$	-
21 22 23	Civil No. 13-00450 SOM RLP, USDC		Settlement
24 25 26	TOTAL (PART 2)	\$	700,000.00
27	The sums appropriated shall be expended by	the d	lepartment
28	of transportation, highways division, for the pu	ırpose	es of this
29	part.		

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- 2 SECTION 3. The sums hereinabove may be paid to the
- 3 respective persons, or for the satisfaction or settlement of the
- 4 respectively identified cases, and in several amounts
- 5 hereinabove set forth or in lesser amounts deemed appropriate,
- 6 upon checks issued by the comptroller; provided that the
- 7 departments shall obtain the approval of the attorney general
- 8 before payment of any claim can be made.
- 9 SECTION 4. Notwithstanding the sums hereinabove stated as
- 10 interest upon judgments against the State, payment of interest
- 11 shall be limited to the period from the date of judgment, if
- 12 applicable, to thirty days after the effective date of this Act,
- 13 as provided in section 662-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for those
- 14 cases to which the statute applies.
- 15 SECTION 5. All unexpended and unencumbered balances of the
- 16 appropriations made in this Act as of the close of business on
- 17 June 30, 2017, shall lapse.
- 18 SECTION 6. If any provision of this Act, or the
- 19 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held
- 20 invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or
- 21 applications of the Act, which can be given effect without the

- 1 invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions
- 2 of this Act are severable.
- 3 SECTION 7. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Appropriations; Claims Against the State

Description:

Makes appropriations for claims against the State, its officers, and its employees. (SD2)

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