

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The high technology development corporation is
- 2 a key state agency in developing and supporting an innovation
- 3 industry in the state. In 2015, the legislature established
- 4 both funding and changes to a small business innovation research
- 5 program within the corporation. The legislature believes that
- 6 continuation of the program is important in supporting this
- 7 industry.
- 8 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 9 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$1,000,000 or so much
- 10 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2016-2017 for the
- 11 small business innovation research program, including
- 12 operational expenses.
- 13 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the high
- 14 technology development corporation for the purposes of this Act.

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SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2016. 1

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# H.B. NO. 2668

### Report Title:

HTDC; Small Business Innovation Research Program; Appropriations

### Description:

Appropriates funds to continue the Small Business Innovation Research Program within the High Technology Development Corporation.

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