A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR KALOKO RESERVOIR.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds and declares that the
- 2 issuance of special purpose revenue bonds under this Act is in
- 3 the public interest and for the public health, safety, and
- 4 general welfare.
- 5 SECTION 2. Pursuant to House Bill No. 2058 (2016), the
- 6 department of budget and finance, with the approval of the
- 7 governor, is authorized to issue special purpose revenue bonds
- 8 in a total amount not to exceed \$10,000,000 in one or more
- 9 series, for the purpose of providing financing to Mary N. Lucas
- 10 Estate for the Kaloko reservoir for planning, permitting,
- 11 designing, constructing, and equipping the reservoir's dam,
- 12 upgrading the infrastructure associated with the dam, and
- 13 acquiring the neighboring properties and appurtenant water
- 14 system rights and assets necessary to restore and operate the
- 15 appurtenant water system. The legislature hereby finds and
- 16 determines that the Kaloko reservoir and its dam constitute a

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- 1 project as defined in House Bill No. 2058 (2016), and the
- 2 financing thereof is assistance to dam and reservoir owners.
- 3 SECTION 3. The special purpose revenue bonds and the
- 4 refunding special purpose revenue bonds issued under this Act
- 5 shall be issued pursuant to House Bill No. 2058 (2016), relating
- 6 to the power to issue special purpose revenue bonds to assist
- 7 dam and reservoir owners.
- 8 SECTION 4. The department of budget and finance is
- 9 authorized, from time to time, including times subsequent to
- 10 June 30, 2021, to issue special purpose revenue bonds in
- 11 whatever principal amounts the department shall determine to be
- 12 necessary to refund the special purpose revenue bonds authorized
- 13 in section 2 of this Act and to refund special purpose revenue
- 14 bonds authorized by this section, regardless of whether the
- 15 outstanding special purpose revenue bonds or refunding special
- 16 purpose revenue bonds have matured or are the subject of
- 17 redemption or whether the refunding special purpose revenue
- 18 bonds shall be bonds for the multi-project programs described in
- 19 section 2. In making this determination, the department shall
- 20 comply with federal law relating to the exemption from federal

- 1 income taxation of the interest on bonds of the nature
- 2 authorized by this section.
- 3 SECTION 5. The authorization to issue special purpose
- 4 revenue bonds under this Act shall lapse on June 30, 2021.
- 5 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2016.

Report Title:

Special Purpose Revenue Bonds; Dam and Reservoir Owners; Mary N. Lucas Estate

Description:

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to provide financing to assist Mary N. Lucas Estate with Kaloko reservoir. (HB2680 HD1)

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