### 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 the	reof	as may be
3	necessary for fiscal year 2016-2017 are appropriat	ed ou	t of the
4	general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the dep	artme	nt of the
5	attorney general for the purpose of satisfying cla	ims f	or
6	legislative relief as to the following named perso	ns, f	irms,
7	corporations, and entities, for claims against the	Stat	e or its
8	officers or employees for the overpayment of taxes	, or	for
9	refunds, reimbursements, payments of judgments or	settl	ements,
10	or other liabilities, in the amounts set forth opp	osite	their
11	names:		
12 13 14 15	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:  1. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:		AMOUNT
16 17 18 19	Westbrook, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 12-1-1596-06, First Circuit	\$	21,000.00 Settlement
20 21	SUBTOTAL:	\$	21,000.00

1 2	2.	HAWAII CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION:	
3 4 5 6		Yamada, et al. v. Snipes, et al. Civil No. 10-00497, USDC Ninth Circuit No. 12-17845	\$ 66,701.10 Judgment
7 8 9		The Committee to Elect Julia Allen, et al. v. Campaign Spending Commission, et al. Civil No. 15-1-1147-06, First Circuit	\$ 2,415.00 Settlement
11 12 13		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 69,116.10
14 15	3.	DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCÉS:	
16 17 18		Claim of First Insurance Company of Hawaii, Inc.	\$ 18,000.00 Settlement
19 20 21 22		Silva v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 15-1-269K, Third Circuit	\$ 75,000.00 Settlement
23 24		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 93,000.00
25 26	4.	LAND USE COMMISSION:	
27 28 29 30 31		Bridge Aina Le'a, LLC v. State of Hawaii Land Use Commission Civil No. 11-00414 SOM KJM, USDC	\$ 1,000,000.00 Settlement
32 33		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 1,000,000.00
34 35	5.	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:	
36 37 38 39		Antoque v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 15-1-0262, Third Circuit	\$ 35,000.00 Settlement
40 41		Freitas, et al. v. Gillespie, et al. Civil No. 13-1-0365, Fifth Circuit	\$ 400,000.00 Settlement

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2 3 4		Leolao, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 13-1-3038-11, First Circuit	\$ 60,000.00 Settlement
5 6 7		Obata v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 14-1-1660-07 KTN, First Circuit	\$ 20,000.00 Settlement
8 9 10		Sullivan, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 15-1-2429-12 VLC, First Circuit	\$ 48,000.00 Settlement
11 12 13		Muller v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 14-1-2133-10, First Circuit	\$ 80,000.00 Settlement
14 15 16		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 643,000.00
<b>17</b>	6.	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES:	
18 19 20 21		Carroll, et al. v. Camit, et al. Civil No. 12-1-0622(2), Second Circuit	\$ 18,500.00 Settlement
22 23 24		Ah Chong, et al. v. McManaman Civil No. 13-00663 LEK-KSC, USDC	\$ 1,100,000.00 Settlement
25 26 27		J.E., et al. v. Wong, et al. Civil No. 14-00399 HG-KJM, USDC	\$ 396,858.00 Settlement
28 29 30		Rooney, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 14-0323(2), Second Circuit	\$ 875,000.00 Settlement
31 32 33		Sheehey, et al. v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 14-1-1709-08 VLC, First Circuit	2,341,103.10 Settlement
34 35 36		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 4,731,461.10
37	7.	MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS:	
38 39 40		Eaton Arakaki	\$ 557.99
41		Paquito and Natividad Dimaya	\$ 1,001.00

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1 2 3	Ronald Martinez, Jr.	\$	92.00
3 4 5	Kan Shimada	\$	250.00
6 7	Shigeko Kiyojima	\$	697.00
8 9	Kiyomi Young	\$	399.60
10 11	Jocelyn Valdez	\$	837.00
12 13 14 15	SUBTOTAL: Total (SECTION 1):	\$ \$ 6	3,834.59
16	The sums appropriated shall be expended by t	he dej	partment
17	of the attorney general for the purposes of this	Act.	
18	PART II		
19	SECTION 2. The following sums or so much th	ereof	as may be
20	necessary for fiscal year 2016-2017 are appropria	ted o	ut of the
21	state highway fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for		
22	legislative relief as to the following named persons, for claims		
23	against the State or its officers or employees for payments of		
24	judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, i	n the	amount
25	set forth opposite their names:		
26 27 28	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:		AMOUNT
29 29	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS DIVISION:		

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1 2 3	Burley v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 14-1-2102-10, First Circuit	\$	85,000.00 Settlement
4 5 6	Lee, et al. v. Tavai, et al. Civil No. 14-1-1659-07, First Circuit	\$	1,565,154.00 Settlement
7 8 9	Lopez, et al. v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 13-1-0885(2), Second Circuit	\$	3,901,866.44 Settlement
10 11 12	Kawamura, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 11-1-0311, Fifth Circuit	\$	95,000.00 Settlement
13 14 15	SUBTOTAL:	\$	5,647,020.44
16 17 18	TOTAL (SECTION 2)  The sums appropriated shall be expended by the		5,647,020.44 department
19	of transportation, highways division, for the purp	ose	es of this
20	Act.		

#### 21 PART III

22 SECTION 3. The following sums or so much thereof as may be
23 necessary for fiscal year 2016-2017 are appropriated out of the
24 harbor special fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for
25 legislative relief as to the following named persons, for claims
26 against the State or its officers or employees for payments of
27 judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in the amount
28 set forth opposite their names:

1 2 3	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:		AMOUNT
4 5	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HARBORS DIVISION:		
6 7 8	Smith v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 15-1-0549-03, First Circuit	\$	116,000.00 Settlement
9 10 11	SUBTOTAL:	\$	116,000.00
12	TOTAL (SECTION 3)	\$	116,000.00
13	The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department		
14	of transportation, harbors division, for the purposes of this		
15	Act.		
16	PART IV		
17	SECTION 4. The following sums or so much the	ereof	as may be

18 necessary for fiscal year 2016-2017 are appropriated out of the 19 airport revenue fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for 20 legislative relief in the following case, to be paid exclusively 21 to those subcontractors and suppliers for work and supplies that 22 have been provided and accepted as reasonable and appropriate by 23 the department of transportation, airports division, for claims 24 against the State or its officers or employees for payments of 25 judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in the amount 26 set forth below:

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    JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE
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    AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:
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    DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AIRPORTS DIVISION:
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         Helix Electric, Inc. v. DCK Pacific
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              Construction, LLC, et al.,
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         Civil No. 16-1-1090-06, First Circuit
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         TOTAL (SECTION 4)
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         The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
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    of transportation, airports division, for the purposes of this
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    Act.
                                  PART V
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         SECTION 5. The sums hereinabove may be paid to the
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    respective persons, or for the satisfaction or settlement of the
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    respectively identified cases, and in several amounts
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    hereinabove set forth or in lesser amounts deemed appropriate,
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    upon checks issued by the comptroller; provided departments
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    shall obtain the approval of the attorney general before payment
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    of any claim can be made.
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         SECTION 6. Notwithstanding the sums hereinabove stated as
    interest upon judgments against the State, payment of interest
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    shall be limited to the period from the date of judgment, if
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- 1 applicable, to thirty days after the effective date of this Act,
- 2 as provided in section 662-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for those
- 3 cases to which the statute applies.
- 4 SECTION 7. All unexpended and unencumbered balances of the
- 5 appropriations made in this Act as of the close of business on
- 6 June 30, 2018, shall lapse.
- 7 SECTION 8. If any provision of this Act, or the
- 8 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held
- 9 invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or
- 10 applications of the Act, which can be given effect without the
- 11 invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions
- 12 of this Act are severable.
- 13 SECTION 9. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

### H.B. NO. H.D. 1

#### Report Title:

Claims Against the State; Appropriations

#### Description:

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

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