A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS.

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

SECTION 1. Section 237-24.75, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
 amended to read as follows:

3 "\$237-24.75 Additional exemptions. In addition to the
4 amounts exempt under section 237-24, this chapter shall not
5 apply to:

6	(1)	Amounts received as a beverage container deposit
7		collected under chapter 342G, part VIII;
8	(2)	Amounts received by the operator of the Hawaii
9		convention center for reimbursement of costs or
10		advances made pursuant to a contract with the Hawaii
11		tourism authority under section 201B-7; [and]
12	(3)	Amounts received by a professional employer
13		organization that is registered with the department of
14		labor and industrial relations pursuant to chapter
15		373L, from a client company equal to amounts that are
16		disbursed by the professional employer organization
17		for employee wages, salaries, payroll taxes, insurance



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1 premiums, and benefits, including retirement, 2 vacation, sick leave, health benefits, and similar 3 employment benefits with respect to covered employees at a client company; provided that this exemption 4 5 shall not apply to amounts received by a professional 6 employer organization after: 7 (A) Notification from the department of labor and 8 industrial relations that the professional 9 employer organization has not fulfilled or 10 maintained the registration requirements under 11 this chapter; or 12 (B) A determination by the department that the 13 professional employer organization has failed to 14 pay any tax withholding for covered employees or 15 any federal or state taxes for which the 16 professional employer organization is 17 responsible. 18 As used in this paragraph, "professional employer 19 organization", "client company", and "covered 20 employee" shall have the meanings provided in section 21 373L-1[-]; and



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1	(4) Amounts received by a landlord for the leasing of
2	housing to a tenant participating in the federal
3	housing choice voucher program; provided that the
4	lease is approved by the Hawaii public housing
5	authority or a county public housing agency."
6	SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
7 a	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
8	SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.
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Report Title:

General Excise Tax; Housing Choice Voucher Program; Exemption

Description:

Exempts rental income received for leasing housing to tenants participating in the federal housing choice voucher (section 8) program from the general excise tax.

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