## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ESTATE AND GENERATION-SKIPPING TRANSFER TAXES.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 236E-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:
- "(a) A state <u>estate</u> tax return shall be filed in the case

  of every decedent whose estate is required by the laws of the

  United States to file a federal estate tax return. This section

  shall apply to a decedent who, at the time of death was:
- 7 (1) A resident of the State; or
- 8 (2) A nonresident of the State whose gross estate includes 9 any real property situated in the State or tangible 10 personal property having a situs in the State. Where 11 the decedent is the sole owner of a single member 12 limited liability company that has not elected to be 13 taxed as a corporation, the single member limited 14 liability company shall be disregarded for purposes of 15 this chapter and this chapter shall be applied as if 16 the sole member is the owner of the property."

SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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- 1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2050,
- 2 and shall apply to decedents dying or taxable transfers
- 3 occurring after December 31, 2016.

## Report Title:

Estate and Generation-skipping Transfer Tax

## Description:

Clarifies the situs of property where the property is held by the decedent through a single member limited liability company that has not elected to be taxed as a corporation. (SB1006 HD1)

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