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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

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

SECTION 1. Section 11-340, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 1 2 amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows: 3 Subsection (b) notwithstanding, if a candidate 4 committee does not file the second preliminary primary report or 5 the preliminary general report, or if a noncandidate committee does not file the preliminary primary report or the second 6 7 preliminary general report by the due date, the fine, if 8 assessed, shall not exceed \$300 per day; provided that: 9 (1)In aggregate, the fine shall not exceed twenty-five 10 per cent of the total amount of contributions or 11 expenditures, whichever is greater, for the period 12 covered by the report; and 13 (2) The minimum fine, if assessed, shall be \$300." 14 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

By Request

# S.B. NO. 439

### Report Title:

Campaign Spending Commission Package; Noncandidate Committees; Second Preliminary General Report

### Description:

Clarifies that increased fines may apply if a noncandidate committee fails to timely file a second preliminary general report.

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