

JAN 20 2017

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HAWAII PESTICIDES LAW.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that moneys in the
2 pesticide use revolving fund are required to be expended by the
3 department of agriculture to support the pesticide program's
4 registration and licensing, certification and education, and
5 compliance monitoring activities, among other things.

6 The legislature further finds that raising the amount of
7 funds in the pesticide use revolving fund that the department of
8 agriculture can retain will allow the department to have a
9 greater amount of dedicated funding for the State's efforts in
10 providing pesticide regulation with informed and educated
11 studies.

12 The purpose of this Act is to increase the amount of
13 pesticide use revolving fund moneys the department of
14 agriculture can maintain in order to allow the department to
15 have the necessary funds available to carry out its statutory
16 mandate.



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1 SECTION 2. Section 149A-13.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (e) to read as follows:

3 "(e) All unobligated, unencumbered, or unexpended funds
4 remaining in the fund in excess of [~~\$250,000~~] \$1,000,000 at the
5 close of each fiscal year shall lapse to the state general
6 fund."

7 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
8 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

9 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.

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Report Title:

Pesticide Use Revolving Fund; Department of Agriculture; Ceiling

Description:

Increases the amount of moneys from the pesticide use revolving fund that the Department of Agriculture may retain to carry out its statutory mandate.

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