
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF RAIL TRANSIT.

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

1 SECTION 1. (a) The auditor shall contract with an
2 independent auditor to conduct a comprehensive financial and
3 management audit of the Honolulu authority for rapid
4 transportation. The audit shall include an examination of the
5 management and operations of the Honolulu authority for rapid
6 transportation, including but not limited to:

7 (1) The Honolulu authority for rapid transportation's
8 financial plan and related systems of accounting;

9 (2) The efficacy of the Honolulu authority for rapid
10 transportation's fiscal and management policies,
11 practices, and processes associated with the plans,
12 design, bidding, and construction of the Honolulu rail
13 transit project;

14 (3) All contracts awarded for, and expenditures associated
15 with, the Honolulu rail transit project, including
16 payments to contractors, subcontractors, and
17 consultants;



1 (4) Expenditures by the Honolulu authority for rapid
2 transportation for personnel costs, lease rent, and
3 any other costs associated with its management and
4 operations; and

5 (5) Factors contributing to escalating costs associated
6 with the Honolulu rail transit project.

7 (b) The auditor shall submit a report of the findings and
8 recommendations of the independent audit, including any proposed
9 legislation, to the legislature no later than twenty days prior
10 to the convening of the regular session of 2018. The
11 recommendations shall address any deficiencies identified as a
12 result of the audit and include recommendations to eliminate
13 waste within the Honolulu authority for rapid transportation and
14 to make the operations of the authority more efficient.

15 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
16 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much
17 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2017-2018 to conduct
18 a comprehensive audit of the Honolulu authority for rapid
19 transportation by an independent auditor.

20 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the auditor for
21 the purposes of this Act.

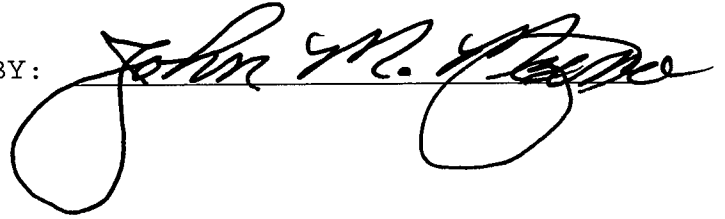


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1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.

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Report Title:

Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation; Independent Audit;
Auditor; Appropriation

Description:

Requires the auditor to contract with an independent auditor to conduct a comprehensive financial and management audit of the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation. Appropriates funds.

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