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August 7, 2020

GOV. MSG. NO. 1115

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Thirtieth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives Thirtieth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on August 7, 2020, the following bill was signed into law:

SB2844 SD2 HD2

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES. ACT 011 (20)

Sincerely,

Governor, State of Hawai'i

THE SENATE
THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE, 2020
STATE OF HAWAII



A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES.

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

1	PART I		
2	SECTION 1. The following sums or so much	thereof	as may be
3	necessary for fiscal year 2019-2020 are appropr	iated o	out of the
4	general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the	departm	ent of the
5	attorney general for the purpose of satisfying	claims	for
6	legislative relief as to the following named pe	rsons,	firms,
7	corporations, and entities, for claims against	the Sta	te or its
8	officers or employees for the overpayment of ta	xes, or	for
9	refunds, reimbursements, payments of judgments	or sett	lements,
10	or other liabilities, in the amounts set forth	opposit	e their
11	names:		
12	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE		AMOUNT
13	AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:		
14 15	1. MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS:		
16 17	Loretta Beralas	\$	2.01
18 19	Grace Blevins	\$	400.28
20 21	BVT-CAM Private Equity Global Fund II	\$	16,000.00



1 2	Beteiligungs GmbH		
3	CAM Private Equity Verwaltungs GmbH	\$	51,300.00
5 6	CAM Select I Beteiligungs GmbH	\$	42,500.00
7 8	Kathleen A. Kehlor Harper	\$	809.11
9 10	Amanda Jamieson	\$	23,125.00
11 12	Margaret Jamieson	\$	23,125.00
13 14	John and Deborah Mar	\$	866.75
15 16	Nanci J. Merck	\$	93.93
17 18	Betty Y. Ohigashi	\$	1,023.99
19 20	The Estate of Calvin C. Ontai	\$	578.40
21 22	Judith Ross	\$	578.40
23 24	Elaine S. Tanigawa	\$	1,000.00
25 26	Barbara H. Ursal	\$	289.20
27 28	Christine Woods	\$	388.19
29 30	SUBTOTAL:		162,080.26
31 32	TOTAL (SECTION 1):	\$	162,080.26
33	The sums appropriated shall be expended by		
34	of the attorney general for the purposes of this	Act	

PART II

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1 SECTION 2. The following sums or so much thereof as may be 2 necessary for fiscal year 2019-2020 are appropriated out of the 3 state highway fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for legislative relief as to the following named persons, for claims against the State or its officers or employees for payments of 6 judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in the amounts 7 set forth opposite their names: 8 JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE TRUOMA 9 AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS: 10 11 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS DIVISION: 1. 12 Hayselden, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. \$ 300,000.00 13 14 Civil No. 17-1-0204, Third Circuit Settlement 15 16 Vares, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. 650,000.00 17 Civil No. 16-1-0512-03, First Circuit Settlement 18 19 20 SUBTOTAL: \$ 950,000.00 950,000.00 21 TOTAL (SECTION 2) \$ 22 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department 23 of transportation, highways division, for the purposes of this 24 Act. 25 PART III 26 SECTION 3. The legislature finds and declares that the 27 following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval

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- 1 as to the following named person for claims against the State or
- 2 the department of education or its officers or employees for the
- 3 payment of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in
- 4 the amount set forth opposite their name, is approved for
- 5 payment:

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6	JUDGMENTS	AGAINST	THE	STATE	A	TUUOM

7 AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:

1. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

10 11 12 13	Zhang v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 19-1-0824-05, First Circuit	\$ 130,000.00 Settlement
14 15 16	SUBTOTAL	\$ 130,000.00 -
17	TOTAL (SECTION 3)	\$ 130,000.00

- 18 Provided that of legislative appropriation item G-2 for the
- 19 department of education for fiscal year 2019-2020 in section 3
- 20 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general fund sum of
- 21 \$130,000 shall be expended from the fiscal year 2019-2020 budget
- 22 (EDN 150, general funds) by the department of education for the
- 23 purposes of this Act.
- 24 PART IV
- 25 SECTION 4. The legislature finds and declares that the
- 26 following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval

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- 1 as to the following named person for claims against the State or
- 2 the department of education or its officers or employees for the
- 3 payment of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in
- 4 the amount set forth opposite their name, is approved for
- 5 payment:

6	JUDGMENTS	AGAINST	THE	STATE	:	TRUOMA
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7 AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:

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1. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

10 11 12 13	Lau, et al. v. Kenui, et al. Civil No. 17-1-0209, Third Circuit	\$ 40,000.00 Settlement
14 15	SUBTOTAL	\$ 40,000.00
16 17	TOTAL (SECTION 4)	\$ 40,000.00

- 18 Provided that of legislative appropriation item G-1 for the
- 19 department of education for fiscal year 2019-2020 in section 3
- 20 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general fund sum of
- 21 \$40,000 shall be expended from the fiscal year 2019-2020 budget
- 22 (EDN 100, general funds) by the department of education for the
- 23 purposes of this Act.
- 24 PART V
- 25 SECTION 5. The legislature finds and declares that the
- 26 following claims for legislative relief recommended for approval

1 as to the following named persons for claims against the State 2 or the department of land and natural resources or its officers 3 or employees for the payment of judgments or settlements, or 4 other liabilities, in the amount set forth opposite their name, 5 is approved for payment: JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE 6 TRUOMA 7 AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS: 8 DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES: 9 10 11 \$ Ching, et al. v. Case, et al. 9,514.99 12 Civil No. 14-1-1085-04, First Circuit Judgment 13 14 Gold Coast Neighborhood Association v. \$ 13,160.94 15 State of Hawaii, et al. Judgment 16 Civil No. 07-1-1122-06, First Circuit 17 18 Keauhou Canoe Club v. Department of Land \$ 9,918.58 19 and Natural Resources, et al. Judgment 20 Civil No. 13-1-678K, Third Circuit 21 22 23 SUBTOTAL 32,594.51 24 25 TOTAL (SECTION 5) \$ 32,594.51 26 Provided that of legislative appropriation item D-9 for the 27 department of land and natural resources for fiscal year 28 2019-2020 in section 3 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, 29 the general fund sum of \$32,594.51 shall be expended from the

fiscal year 2019-2020 budget (LNR 906, general funds) by the

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payment:

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department of land and natural resources for the purposes of
this Act.

PART VI

SECTION 6. The legislature finds and declares that the
following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval
as to the following named person for claims against the State or
the department of public safety or its officers or employees for
the payment of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities,

in the amount set forth opposite their name, is approved for

11 JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE

AMOUNT

12 AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:

1. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:

16 17 18	Shiira v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 13-1-0331, Fifth Circuit	\$	44,946.75 Judgment
19 20 21	SUBTOTAL	\$,	44,946.75
22	TOTAL (SECTION 6)	\$	44,946.75

- 23 Provided that of legislative appropriation item I-7 for the
- 24 department of public safety for fiscal year 2019-2020 in section
- 25 3 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general fund sum of
- 26 \$44,946.75 shall be expended from the fiscal year 2019-2020

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2 safety for the purposes of this Act. PART VII 3 SECTION 7. The legislature finds and declares that the 4 following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval 5 as to the following named person for claims against the State or 6 the department of public safety or its officers or employees for 7 8 the payment of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, 9 in the amount set forth opposite their name, is approved for 10 payment: 11 JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE TRUOMA 12 AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS: 13 14 1. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY: 15 40,000.00 16 Lana v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 13-1-2365-08, First Circuit Settlement 17 18 19 20 SUBTOTAL \$ 40,000.00 21 Ş 40,000.00 22 TOTAL (SECTION 7) 23 Provided that of legislative appropriation item I-6 for the 24 department of public safety for fiscal year 2019-2020 in section 3 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general 25 26 fund sum of \$40,000.00 shall be expended from the fiscal year

budget (PSD 408, general funds) by the department of public

1	2019-2020 budget (PSD 407, general funds) by the department of
2	public safety for the purposes of this Act.
3	PART VIII
4	SECTION 8. The legislature finds and declares that the
5	following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval
6	as to the following named person for claims against the State or
7	the department of public safety or its officers or employees for
8	the payment of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities,
9	in the amount set forth opposite their name, is approved for
10	payment:
11	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AMOUNT
12 13	AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:
14	1. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:
15 16 17 18	Firth, et al. v. County of Maui, et al. \$ 350,000.00 Civil No. 18-1-0234(4), Second Circuit Settlement
19 20 21	SUBTOTAL \$ 350,000.00
22	TOTAL (SECTION 8) \$ 350,000.00
23	Provided that of legislative appropriation item I-15 for
24	the department of public safety for fiscal year 2019-2020 in
25	section 3 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general
	section 5 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general

2	public safety for the purposes of this Act.		
3	PART IX		
4	SECTION 9. The legislature finds and declar	res t	hat the
5	following claim for legislative relief recommende	ed fo	r approval
6	as to the following named person for claims again	nst t	he State or
7	the Hawaii community development authority or its	s off	icers or
8	employees for the payment of judgments or settler	nents	, or other
9	liabilities, in the amount set forth opposite the	eir n	ame, is
10	approved for payment:		
11	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE		AMOUNT
12 13	AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:		
14 15	1. HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY:		
16 17 18 19	Carolyn Ward Aki v. City and County of Honolulu, et al. Civil No. 17-1-1861-11 GWBC, First Circuit	\$	55,000.00 Settlement
20 21 22	SUBTOTAL	\$	55,000.00
23	TOTAL (SECTION 9)	\$	55,000.00
24	Provided that of legislative appropriation	item	A-24 for
25	the Hawaii community development authority for f	iscal	year
26	2019-2020 in section 3 of Act 5, Session Laws of	Hawa	ii 2019,
27	the general fund sum of \$55,000 shall be expended	d fro	m the

1 2019-2020 budget (PSD 503, general funds) by the department of

2	Hawaii community development authority for the pu	rpos	es of this
3 .	Act.		
4	PART X		
5	SECTION 10. The legislature finds and decla	res	that the
6	following claim for legislative relief recommende	d fo	r approval
7	as to the following named person for claims again	st t	he State or
8	the Hawaii state public library system or its off	icer	s or
9	employees for the payment of judgments or settlem	ents	, or other
10	liabilities, in the amount set forth opposite the	ir n	ame, is
11	approved for payment:		
12 13 14 15	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS: 1. HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM:		AMOUNT
16 17 18 19 20	United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 - Hawaii State Public Library System	\$	143,990.00 Settlement
21 22 23	SUBTOTAL	\$	143,990.00
24	TOTAL (SECTION 10)	\$	143,990.00
25	Provided that of legislative appropriation i	tem	G-14 for
26	the Hawaii state public library system for fiscal	yea	r 2019-2020

1 fiscal year 2019-2020 budget (BED 150, general funds) by the

1	fund sum of \$143,990 shall be expended from the f	isca	l year							
2	2019-2020 budget (EDN 407, general funds) by the	Hawa	ii state							
3	public library system for the purposes of this Act.									
4	PART XI									
5	SECTION 11. The legislature finds and declares that the									
6	following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval									
7	as to the following named person for claims against the State or									
8	the state public charter school commission or its	off	icers or							
9	employees for the payment of judgments or settlem	ents	, or other							
10	liabilities, in the amount set forth opposite the	ir n	ame, is							
11	approved for payment:									
11 12	approved for payment: JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE		AMOUNT							
12 13			AMOUNT							
12 13 14 15	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE		AMOUNT							
12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:	\$	AMOUNT 71,594.18 Judgment							
12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS: 1. STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION: HGEA/AFSCME on Behalf of Ardith Renteria, and Charter Volcano School of Arts and	\$ \$	71,594.18							
12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS: 1. STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION: HGEA/AFSCME on Behalf of Ardith Renteria, and Charter Volcano School of Arts and Sciences Miller-Potter v. State of Hawaii, et al.		71,594.18 Judgment 75,000.00							

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- 1 Provided that of legislative appropriation item G-7 for the
- 2 state public charter school commission for fiscal year 2019-2020
- 3 in section 3 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general
- 4 fund sum of \$146,594.18 shall be expended from the fiscal year
- 5 2019-2020 budget (EDN 600, general funds) by the state public
- 6 charter school commission for the purposes of this Act.
- 7 PART XII
- 8 SECTION 12. The sums hereinabove may be paid to the
- 9 respective persons, or for the satisfaction or settlement of the
- 10 respectively identified cases, and in several amounts
- 11 hereinabove set forth or in lesser amounts deemed appropriate,
- 12 upon checks issued by the comptroller; provided that departments
- 13 shall obtain the approval of the attorney general before payment
- 14 of any claim can be made.
- 15 SECTION 13. Notwithstanding the sums hereinabove stated as
- 16 · interest upon judgments against the State, payment of interest
- 17 shall be limited to the period from the date of judgment, if
- 18 applicable, to thirty days after the effective date of this Act,
- 19 as provided in section 662-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for those
- 20 cases to which the statute applies.

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- 2 the appropriations made in this Act as of the close of business
- 3 on June 30, 2021, shall lapse; provided that any funds
- 4 appropriated for fiscal year 2019-2020 by Act 5, Session Laws of
- 5 Hawaii 2019, to the programs referenced in this Act that are not
- 6 expended or encumbered for the specific purposes described in
- 7 this Act as of the close of business on June 30, 2021, shall
- 8 also lapse.
- 9 SECTION 15. If any provision of this Act, or the
- 10 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held
- 11 invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or
- 12 applications of the Act, which can be given effect without the
- 13 invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions
- 14 of this Act are severable.
- 15 SECTION 16. This Act, upon its approval, shall take effect
- 16 retroactive to June 30, 2020.

APPROVED this 0.7 day of AUG , 2020

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: July 10, 2020 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2020.

President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: July 6, 2020 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2020.

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Scott K. Saiki Speaker House of Representatives

Brian L. Takeshita

Chief Clerk

House of Representatives

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