THE SENATE THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE, 2019 STATE OF HAWAII S.B. NO. <sup>1462</sup> S.D. 1

# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that on July 5, 2018, the 2 governor signed Act 115, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, known as 3 the Address Confidentiality Act, into law. This law provides 4 survivors of domestic abuse, sexual offenses, or stalking with a 5 substitute address to be used by state and local government 6 agencies instead of their physical address. The substitute 7 address may be used whenever an address is required for public 8 records. Mail is received at the substitute address and 9 forwarded to the survivor's actual address.

10 The legislature also finds that no moneys were allocated to 11 support the program, and without additional funding, the Hawaii 12 criminal justice data center's current budget is unable to 13 absorb the start-up and day-to-day operational cost of 14 maintaining the program. Currently, the Hawaii criminal justice 15 data center is preparing to implement the program, but unless 16 necessary funding is available, the Hawaii criminal justice data 17 center will be unable to carry out the program's objectives.

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1 Accordingly, the purpose of this Act is to appropriate 2 funds for two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) positions, 3 operating costs, and equipment to support the Hawaii criminal 4 justice data center in administering the address confidentiality 5 program pursuant to chapter 801G, Hawaii Revised Statutes. 6 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general 7 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$147,500 or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2019-2020 and the 8 9 sum of \$153,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for 10 fiscal year 2020-2021 for two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) 11 positions, operating costs, and equipment to support the Hawaii 12 criminal justice data center in administering the address 13 confidentiality program pursuant to chapter 801G, Hawaii Revised 14 Statutes.

15 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department 16 of the attorney general for the purposes of this Act.

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SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2019.



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### Report Title:

AG; Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center; Address Confidentiality

#### Description:

Appropriates funds for two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) positions, operating costs, and equipment to support the Attorney General's Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center in administering the Address Confidentiality Program. (SD1)

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