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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL THEFT AND VANDALISM PILOT PROJECT.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that Act 217, Session
- 2 Laws of Hawaii (2019) implemented a two-year pilot project to
- 3 examine and assess the effectiveness of prosecuting agricultural
- 4 theft and agricultural vandalism cases in the counties of Hawaii
- 5 and Maui.
- 6 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate funding for the
- 7 second year of the pilot project.
- 8 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 9 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$200,000 or so much
- 10 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2020-2021 for the
- 11 agricultural theft and vandalism pilot project.
- 12 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 13 agriculture for the purposes of this Act.
- 14 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2020.

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### Report Title:

Appropriations for Agricultural Theft and Vandalism Pilot Project

### Description:

Appropriates additional funding for the two-year agricultural theft and pilot project pursuant the Act 217, Session Laws of Hawaii (2019).

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