# 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 appropriated out of the				
4	general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the department of the				
5	attorney general for the purpose of satisfying claims for				
6	legislative relief as to the following named persons, firms,				
7	corporations, and entities, for claims against the State or its officers or employees for the overpayment of taxes, or for refunds, reimbursements, payments of judgments or settlements,				
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10	or other liabilities, in the amounts set forth opposite their				
11	names:				
12	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AMOUNT				
13 14	AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:				
15 16	1. MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS:				
17	Grace Blevins \$ 400.28				
18 19	Kathleen A. Kehlor Harper \$ 809.11				
20 21	John and Deborah Mar \$ 866.75				

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Judith Ross	\$	578.40				
	Barbara H. Ursal	\$	289.20				
	SUBTOTAL:	\$	2,943.74				
	TOTAL (SECTION 1):	\$	2,943.74				
9	The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department						
10	of the attorney general for the purposes of this Act.						
11	PART II						
12	SECTION 2. The following sums or so much thereof as may b						
13	necessary for fiscal year 2019-2020 are appropriated out of the						
14	state highway fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for						
15	legislative relief as to the following named persons, for claims						
16	against the State or its officers or employees for payments of						
17	judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in the amounts						
18	set forth opposite their names:						
19 20 21	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:		AMOUNT				
22 23	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS DIVISION:						
24 25 26	1. Hayselden, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 17-1-0204, Third Circuit	\$	300,000.00 Settlement				
27 28 29 30	2. Vares, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 16-1-0512-03, First Circuit	\$	650,000.00 Settlement				
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1	SUBTOTAL:	\$	950,000.00		
2	TOTAL (SECTION 2)	\$	950,000.00		
3	The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department				
4	of transportation, highways division, for the purposes of this				
5	Act.				
6	PART III				
7	SECTION 3. The legislature finds and declares that the				
8	following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval				
9	as to the following named person for claims against the State or				
10	the department of education or its officers or employees for the				
11	payment of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in				
12	the amount set forth opposite their name, is approved for				
13	payment:				
14	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE		TRUOMA		
15 16	AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:				
17	1. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:				
18 19 20 21	Zhang v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 19-1-0824-05, First Circuit	\$	130,000.00 Settlement		
22 23 24	SUBTOTAL	\$	130,000.00		
25	TOTAL (SECTION 3)	\$	130,000.00		

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1	Provided that of legislative appropriation item G-2 for the			
2	department of education for fiscal year 2019-2020 in section 3			
3	of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the general fund sum of			
4	\$130,000 shall be expended from the fiscal year 2019-2020 budget			
5	(EDN 150, general funds) by the department of education for the			
6	purposes of this Act.			
7	PART IV			
8	SECTION 4. The legislature finds and declares that the			
9	following claims for legislative relief recommended for approval			
10	as to the following named persons for claims against the State			
11	or the department of land and natural resources or its officers			
12	or employees for the payment of judgments or settlements, or			
13	other liabilities, in the amount set forth opposite their name,			
14	is approved for payment:			
15	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AMOUNT			
16 17	AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:			
18 19	1. DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES:			
20 21 22	Ching et al. v. Case, et al. \$ 9,514.99 Civil No. 14-1-1085-04, First Circuit Judgment			
23 24 25 26	Gold Coast Neighborhood Association v. \$ 13,160.94 State of Hawaii, Civil No. 07-1-1122-06 Judgment First Circuit			
20 27	Keauhou Canoe Club v. Department of Land \$ 9,918.58			

1 2 3	and Natural Resources, et al.  Civil No. 13-1-678K, Third Circuit
4 5 6	SUBTOTAL \$ 32,594.51
7	TOTAL (SECTION 4) \$ 32,594.51
8	Provided that of legislative appropriation item D-9 for the
9	department of land and natural resources for fiscal year 2019-
10	2020 in section 3 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the
11	general fund sum of \$32,594.51 shall be expended from the fiscal
12	year 2019-2020 budget (LNR 906, general funds) by the department
13	of land and natural resources for the purposes of this Act.
14	PART V
15	SECTION 5. The legislature finds and declares that the
16	following claim for legislative relief recommended for approval
17	as to the following named person for claims against the State or
18	the department of public safety or its officers or employees for
19	the payment of judgments or settlements, or other liabilities,
20	in the amount set forth opposite their name, is approved for
21	payment:
22	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AMOUNT
23 24	AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:
25 26	1. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:

1 2 3	Shiira v. State of Hawaii, et al.  Civil No. 13-1-0331, Fifth Circuit	<b>\$</b>	44,946.75 Judgment	
4 5	SUBTOTAL	\$	44,946.75	
6 7	TOTAL (SECTION 5)	\$	44,946.75	
8	Provided that of legislative appropriation ite	em I-	-5 for the	
9	department of public safety for fiscal year 2019-20	020 i	n section	
10	3 of Act 5, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019, the genera	al fu	ınd sum of	
11	\$44,946.75 shall be expended from the fiscal year 2	2019-	-2020	
12	budget (PSD 406, general funds) by the department of	of pu	ublic	
13	safety for the purposes of this Act.			
14	PART VI			
15	SECTION 6. The sums hereinabove may be paid t	to th	ne	
16	respective persons, or for the satisfaction or sett	tleme	ent of the	
17	respectively identified cases, and in several amour	nts		
18	hereinabove set forth or in lesser amounts deemed a	appro	priate,	
19	upon checks issued by the comptroller; provided departments			
20	shall obtain the approval of the attorney general h	pefor	re payment	
21	of any claim can be made.			
22	SECTION 7. Notwithstanding the sums hereinabo	ove s	stated as	
23	interest upon judgments against the State, payment	of i	.nterest	
24	shall be limited to the period from the date of jud	dgmer	nt, if	

- 1 applicable, to thirty days after the effective date of this Act,
- 2 as provided in section 662-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for those
- 3 cases to which the statute applies.
- 4 SECTION 8. All unexpended and unencumbered balances of the
- 5 appropriations made in this Act as of the close of business on
- 6 June 30, 2021, shall lapse.
- 7 SECTION 9. If any provision of this Act, or the
- 8 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held
- 9 invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or
- 10 applications of the Act, which can be given effect without the
- 11 invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions
- 12 of this Act are severable.
- 13 SECTION 10. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

## Report Title:

Claims Against the State

## Description:

Makes appropriations and approves payments for claims against the State, its officers, and its employees. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)

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