THE SENATE THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE, 2019 STATE OF HAWAII S.B. NO. ⁹⁷⁸ S.D. 1 H.D. 2

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO STATE LIBRARY SYSTEM.

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

1	SECTION 1. Section 312-3.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:
3	"(a) There is established in the state treasury a
4	libraries special fund into which shall be deposited all moneys
5	collected pursuant to section 312-3.5, and all moneys designated
6	to be paid to this fund pursuant to [section] <u>sections</u>
7	235-102.5(c)[-] and $523A-19(c)$."
8	SECTION 2. Section 523A-19, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
9	amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:
10	"(c) [Beginning on July 1, 2014, any] <u>Any</u> claim made under
11	this part for funds in the unclaimed property trust fund shall
12	be void if the claim is:
13	(1) For funds totaling less than $[\$100;]$ $\$$; and
14	(2) Filed more than $[ten]$ <u>five</u> years after the date that
15	the full amount of the claim was deposited into the
16	unclaimed property trust fund;

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1	provided that for funds totaling less than \$100 that were
2	deposited into the unclaimed property trust fund on or prior to
3	June 30, 2014, [the] <u>a</u> ten-year time limitation on claiming the
4	funds shall apply and commence on [July 1, 2014.] the date on
5	which the funds were deposited into the unclaimed property trust
6	fund; provided further that for funds totaling less than
7	\$ that were deposited into the unclaimed property trust
8	fund after June 30, 2014, and on or prior to June 30, 2019, a
9	ten-year time limitation on claiming the funds shall apply and
10	commence on the date the funds were deposited into the unclaimed
11	property trust fund; provided further that for funds totaling
12	more than \$ and less than \$ that were deposited
13	into the unclaimed property trust fund on or prior to June 30,
14	2019, a five-year time limitation on claiming the funds shall
15	apply and commence on July 1, 2019. Unclaimed funds of
16	\$ or less subject to this subsection, upon the
17	expiration of the [ten-year] time limitation, shall escheat to
18	the State and be transferred to the libraries special fund.
19	Unclaimed funds of more than \$ but less than \$



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1	limitation, shall escheat to the State and be transferred to the
2	general fund."
3	SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
4	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
5	SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2051.



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Report Title:

Unclaimed Property; Public Library System; Libraries Special Fund

Description:

Amends the disposition of unclaimed funds in the Unclaimed Property Trust Fund to allocate funds under a certain amount to the Libraries Special Fund and to amend the threshold amount for funds transferred to the General Fund. Amends the time limit for retaining unclaimed funds in the Trust Fund. (SB978 HD2)

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