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SENATE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND
TOURISM AND THE COUNTY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF AGING TO CONDUCT
A STUDY ON THE NECESSITY AND FEASIBILITY OF A SENIOR LIVING
CENTER IN THE KA'U DISTRICT.

1 WHEREAS, Hawai'i's aging population is expected to increase;
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4 WHEREAS, seventeen percent of Hawai'i's existing population
5 consists of seniors, sixty-five years of age and older; and

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7 WHEREAS, a recent report by the Centers for Disease Control
8 and Prevention found that Hawai'i has the highest life expectancy
9 in the United States for those over sixty-five years of age; and

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11 WHEREAS, the County of Hawai'i Office of Aging is
12 responsible for assessing the needs of the county's older adult
13 population and determining the kinds and amounts of services
14 required to meet those needs; now, therefore,

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16 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-first
17 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2021,
18 that the Department of Business, Economic Development, and
19 Tourism, in coordination and cooperation with the County of
20 Hawai'i Office of Aging is requested to complete a study
21 regarding the necessity and feasibility of a senior living
22 center to support the population of the Ka'u district and submit
23 a report of its findings and recommendations to the Legislature
24 and the County of Hawai'i Office of the Mayor no later than
25 July 1, 2021; and

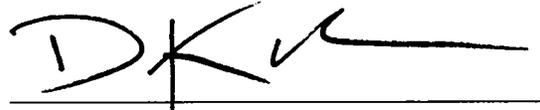


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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 Resolution be transmitted to the County of Hawai'i Office of the
3 Mayor; Director of the Department of Business, Economic
4 Development, and Tourism; and Administrator of the County of
5 Hawai'i Office of Aging.

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OFFERED BY:



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