# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 155, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated 3 and to read as follows: 4 "§155- Agricultural emergency loan revolving fund. (a) 5 There is established in the state treasury the agricultural 6 emergency loan revolving fund, to be administered and expended 7 by the department of agriculture, into which shall be deposited: 8 (1) All payments received on account of principal from 9 loans made by the fund; and (2) Appropriations made by the legislature to the fund. 10 11 (b) Moneys in the agricultural emergency loan revolving 12 fund shall be used to fund class D emergency loans made pursuant 13 to section 155-9(e)." SECTION 2. Section 155-14, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 14 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows: 15 16 "(b) All payments received on account of principal shall

be credited to the agricultural loan revolving fund[-] or the

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- 1 agricultural emergency loan revolving fund based on which fund
- provided the original funding for the loan."
- 3 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general
- 4 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
- 5 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 to be
- 6 deposited into the agricultural emergency loan revolving fund.
- 7 SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the agricultural
- 8 emergency loan revolving fund the sum of \$ or so much
- 9 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the
- 10 purposes of the fund.
- 11 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 12 agriculture for the purposes of this Act.
- SECTION 5. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 14 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 15 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2051.

## Report Title:

Agricultural Loans; Emergency Loans; Appropriation

### Description:

Establishes the agricultural emergency loan revolving fund, to be administered by the department of agriculture, to fund class D emergency loans. Provides a separate source of funding for emergency agricultural loans. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2051. (SD1)

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