
A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. This Act is recommended by the governor for
2 immediate passage in accordance with article VII, section 9, of
3 the Hawaii State Constitution.

4 SECTION 2. The legislature finds that deer overpopulation
5 in the county of Maui has led to a state of emergency. Around
6 fifty thousand axis deer exist in Maui county and as many as
7 five hundred threaten the safety of Kahului airport. With the
8 recent events of deer entering onto the airport runway, in the
9 interest of safety, it is necessary that the State take
10 immediate action to replace the fence to secure the perimeter of
11 the airport.

12 The purpose of this Act is to make an emergency
13 appropriation to provide funds to replace the perimeter fence
14 around Kahului airport. Without an emergency appropriation,
15 axis deer may continue to enter the airport runway creating a
16 substantial safety risk to airport passengers and operators.



1 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general
2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$17,000,000 or so
3 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2021-2022 to
4 construct a new perimeter fence at Kahului airport (OGG), in
5 Maui county.

6 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
7 transportation for the purposes of this Act.

8 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2050.



Report Title:

Department of Transportation; Kahului Airport; Emergency
Appropriation

Description:

Makes an emergency appropriation to the Department of
Transportation for construction of a new perimeter fence at
Kahului Airport in response to the overpopulation of axis deer
in Maui county. Effective 1/1/2050. (SD1)

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