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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.

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

1       SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to provide start-up  
2 funding for the investigation, exploration, and identification  
3 of geothermal resources on Hawaiian home lands. The legislature  
4 finds that these resources may be used for the generation,  
5 transmission, or production of electricity and renewable energy  
6 resources, including hydrogen.

7       SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general  
8 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                   or so  
9 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 to  
10 fund the investigation, exploration, and identification of  
11 geothermal resources on Hawaiian home lands.

12       The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of  
13 Hawaiian home lands for the purposes of this Act.

14       SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.



**Report Title:**

Department of Hawaiian Homelands; Hawaiian Home Lands;  
Geothermal Resources; Appropriation

**Description:**

Appropriates moneys to the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands for the investigation, exploration, and identification of geothermal resources on Hawaiian home lands. (SD1)

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