
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO IRRIGATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that reliable irrigation
2 systems are the lifelines of Hawaii's agricultural industry. To
3 ensure that Hawaii's agricultural crops receive a steady and
4 dependable supply of water, sufficient funding is needed to
5 maintain and improve Hawaii's irrigation systems. Increasing
6 and extended water droughts have highlighted the need for the
7 repair and maintenance of the irrigation systems in the State.

8 Accordingly, the purpose of this Act is to appropriate
9 moneys for water source infrastructure for water delivery and
10 for maintenance and improvements to the Peekauai ditch
11 irrigation system located on the island of Kauai.

12 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
13 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
14 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for
15 the purpose of maintaining and improving the Peekauai ditch
16 irrigation system, also known as Menehune ditch, on the island
17 of Kauai.



1 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
2 agriculture for the purposes of this Act.

3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



Report Title:

HDOA; Peekauai Ditch Irrigation System; Appropriation

Description:

Appropriates moneys to the Department of Agriculture for water source infrastructure and the maintenance and improvement to the Peekauai Ditch Irrigation System located on Kauai. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)

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