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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FUNDING ADJUSTMENTS FOR STATE PROGRAMS.

**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 section 9 of article VII of  
3 the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

4           SECTION 2. In prior years, the respective budget acts  
5 contained a budget proviso such as section 72, Act 88, Session  
6 Laws of Hawaii 2021, the General Appropriations Act of 2021,  
7 which permitted the governor to authorize a department's  
8 transfer of operating funds between programs within that  
9 department; provided that the legislature was informed of the  
10 transfers. However, section 8 of Act 248, Session Laws of  
11 Hawaii 2022, the Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2022,  
12 repealed section 72. Consequently, although funds were  
13 appropriated to various state departments for their operating  
14 programs for fiscal year 2022-2023, the repeal of section 72 has  
15 caused a critical funding emergency by limiting the ability of  
16 departments to transfer funds between their programs to address  
17 changing conditions.



1 The purpose of this Act is to address the repeal of  
 2 section 72 by appropriating additional general funds as  
 3 emergency appropriations for fiscal year 2022-2023 for operating  
 4 funds shortfalls in quarters 3 and 4 for existing programs and  
 5 to adjust funding for various programs to be commensurate with  
 6 their anticipated level of activity. The emergency  
 7 appropriations and the funding adjustments made in this Act are  
 8 budget neutral.

9 SECTION 3. Act 88, Session Laws of Hawaii 2021, as amended  
 10 by Act 248, Session Laws of Hawaii 2022, is amended by adding  
 11 six new sections to part VII to read as follows:

12 "SECTION 72A. The following sums or so much thereof as may  
 13 be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 are appropriated out of  
 14 the general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the following  
 15 programs within the department of public safety for the purpose  
 16 of continuing existing programs and operations:

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
18 <u>PSD405</u>	<u>\$750,000</u>
19 <u>PSD407</u>	<u>\$2,500,000.</u>

20 SECTION 72B. Of the appropriations out of the general  
 21 revenues of the State of Hawaii to the following programs within



1 the department of public safety, the programs are reduced by the  
2 following amounts:

3	<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
4	<u>PSD410</u>	<u>\$1,000,000</u>
5	<u>PSD409</u>	<u>\$2,250,000.</u>

6 SECTION 72C. The following sums or so much thereof as may  
7 be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 are appropriated out of  
8 the corresponding program special funds to the following  
9 programs within the department of transportation for the purpose  
10 of continuing existing programs and operations:

11	<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
12	<u>TRN195</u>	<u>\$210,970</u>
13	<u>TRN131</u>	<u>\$340,374</u>
14	<u>TRN135</u>	<u>\$69,032</u>
15	<u>TRN151</u>	<u>\$119,487</u>
16	<u>TRN104</u>	<u>\$800,000</u>
17	<u>TRN133</u>	<u>\$750,000</u>
18	<u>TRN597</u>	<u>\$101,145.</u>

19 SECTION 72D. Of the special fund appropriations to the  
20 following programs within the department of transportation, the  
21 programs are reduced by the following amounts:



1	<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
2	<u>TRN102</u>	<u>\$210,970</u>
3	<u>TRN133</u>	<u>\$295,124</u>
4	<u>TRN143</u>	<u>\$233,769</u>
5	<u>TRN102</u>	<u>\$800,000</u>
6	<u>TRN131</u>	<u>\$750,000</u>
7	<u>TRN595</u>	<u>\$101,145.</u>

8        SECTION 72E. The following sums or so much thereof as may  
9 be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 are appropriated out of  
10 the general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the following  
11 programs within the department of human services for the purpose  
12 of continuing existing programs and operations:

13	<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
14	<u>HMS601</u>	<u>\$249,514</u>
15	<u>HMS901</u>	<u>\$332,128.</u>

16        SECTION 72F. Of the appropriations out of the general  
17 revenues of the State of Hawaii to the following programs within  
18 the department of human services, the programs are reduced by  
19 the following amounts:

20	<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
21	<u>HMS301</u>	<u>\$581,642."</u>

1 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

2 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



**Report Title:**

Funds; Appropriations

**Description:**

Appropriates funds to various programs to cover anticipated operating shortfalls due to the limited ability of a department to transfer funds between programs of that department. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)

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