### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 2023 STATE OF HAWAII

H.B. NO. <sup>691</sup> H.D. 1

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST KOHALA MOUNTAIN FISH COMPANY, LLC.

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

SECTION 1. The legislature finds and declares that the
 issuance of special purpose revenue bonds under this Act is in
 the public interest and for the public health, safety, and
 general welfare.

5 SECTION 2. Pursuant to part X, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised 6 Statutes, the department of budget and finance, with the 7 approval of the governor, is authorized to issue special purpose 8 revenue bonds in a total amount not to exceed \$100,000,000, in 9 one or more series, for the purpose of assisting Kohala Mountain 10 Fish Company, LLC, a Hawaii domestic limited liability 11 corporation, for the establishment of The Village project, a 12 diversified agricultural park and processing facility on Hawaii island to produce, package, cook, and freeze products year 13 14 around for both local consumption and value added export. The 15 Village project will train, supervise, and support new families 16 who show an interest in increasing their current faming



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operative and create more jobs and work force housing. The
 legislature hereby finds and determines that The Village project
 constitutes a project as defined in part X, chapter 39A, Hawaii
 Revised Statutes, and the financing thereof is assistance to an
 agricultural enterprise.

6 SECTION 3. The special purpose revenue bonds and the
7 refunding special purpose revenue bonds issued under this Act
8 shall be issued pursuant to part X, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised
9 Statutes, relating to the power to issue special purpose revenue
10 bonds to assist agricultural enterprises.

11 SECTION 4. The department of budget and finance is authorized, from time to time, including times subsequent to 12 13 June 30, 2028, to issue special purpose revenue bonds in 14 whatever principal amounts the department shall determine to be 15 necessary to refund the special purpose revenue bonds authorized 16 in section 2 and to refund special purpose revenue bonds 17 authorized in this section, regardless of whether the 18 outstanding special purpose revenue bonds or refunding special 19 purpose revenue bonds have matured or are the subject of 20 redemption or whether the refunding special purpose revenue 21 bonds shall be bonds for the multi-project programs described in

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section 2. In making this determination, the department shall
 comply with federal law relating to the exemption from federal
 income taxation of the interest on bonds of the nature
 authorized by this section.

5 SECTION 5. The authorization to issue special purpose6 revenue bonds under this Act shall lapse on June 30, 2028.

SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on June 30, 3000.



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**Report Title:** SPRB; Kohala Mountain Fish Company

### Description:

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Kohala Mountain Fish Company, LLC, for the establishment of The Village project. Effective 6/30/3000. (HD1)

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