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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS.

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

| 1 | SECTION 1. Chapter 155, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is |
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| 2 | amended by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately |
| 3 | designated and to read as follows: |
| 4 | " <u>§155-</u> Agricultural emergency loan revolving fund. (a) |
| 5 | There is established in the state treasury the agricultural |
| 6 | emergency loan revolving fund, to be administered and expended |
| 7 | by the department of agriculture, into which shall be deposited: |
| 8 | (1) All payments received on account of principal from |
| 9 | loans made by the fund; and |
| 10 | (2) Appropriations made by the legislature to the fund. |
| 11 | (b) Moneys in the agricultural emergency loan revolving |
| 12 | fund shall be used to fund class D emergency loans made pursuant |
| 13 | <u>to section 155-9(e).</u> " |
| 14 | SECTION 2. Section 155-14, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is |
| 15 | amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows: |
| 16 | "(b) All payments received on account of principal shall |
| 17 | be credited to the agricultural loan revolving fund[+] or the |

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| 1 | agricultural emergency loan revolving fund based on which fund |
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| 2 | provided the original funding for the loan." |
| 3 | SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general |
| 4 | revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$2,500,000 or so much |
| 5 | thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 to be |
| 6 | deposited into the agricultural emergency loan revolving fund. |
| 7 | SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the agricultural |
| 8 | emergency loan revolving fund the sum of \$2,500,000 or so much |
| 9 | thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 for the |
| 10 | purposes of the fund. |
| 11 | The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of |
| 12 | agriculture for the purposes of this Act. |
| 13 | SECTION 5. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed |
| 14 | and stricken. New statutory material is underscored. |
| 15 | SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on June 30, 3000. |
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Report Title:

Agricultural Emergency Loans; Appropriation

Description:

Establishes the agricultural emergency loan revolving fund, to be administered by the department of agriculture, to fund Class D emergency loans. Provides a separate source of funding for agricultural emergency loans. Appropriates funds. Effective 6/30/3000. (HD1)

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