H.B. NO. <sup>1508</sup> H.D. 1 S.D. 1

### A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.

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

1	SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to appropriate	
2	moneys to:	
3	(1)	The department of business, economic development, and
4		tourism to improve Native Hawaiian communities and
5		cultural practice and preservation through various
6		assistance services, including but not limited to
7		services that offer Native Hawaiian historic
8		preservation, business training, entrepreneurship, and
9		mentoring; and
10	(2)	The department of land and natural resources for
11		repatriation and reburials of Native Hawaiians
12		nationally and internationally.
13	SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general	
14	revenues	of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
15	much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and	
16	the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal	
17	year 2024-2025 for the purpose of improving Native Hawaiian	

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communities and cultural practice and preservation by providing
 a virtual marketplace that supports local artisans and
 businesses to adapt to e-commerce.
 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
 of business, economic development, and tourism for the purposes

6 of this Act.

SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general 7 8 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so 9 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and 10 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2024-2025 for the purpose of improving Native Hawaiian 11 12 communities and cultural practice and preservation by providing 13 a physical co-working space and an innovation, entrepreneur, and 14 resource center that provides workshops; counseling, loan assistance, and broadband access. 15

16 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department 17 of business, economic development, and tourism for the purposes 18 of this Act.

19 SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general
20 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
21 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and

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the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
 year 2024-2025 for the repatriation and reburials of Native
 Hawaiians nationally and internationally.

4 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
5 of land and natural resources for the purposes of this Act.
6 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on June 30, 3000.



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**Report Title:** Native Hawaiian Communities; Appropriation

#### Description:

Appropriates funds to certain departments to improve Native Hawaiian communities and cultural practice and preservation through various assistance services. Effective 6/30/3000. (SD1)

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