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# 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 funds  
2 to the department of business, economic development, and tourism  
3 and department of land and natural resources to improve Native  
4 Hawaiian communities and culture through various assistance  
5 services.

6           SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general  
7 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                    or so  
8 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and  
9 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal  
10 year 2024-2025 for the purpose of improving Native Hawaiian  
11 communities and culture by providing a virtual marketplace that  
12 supports local artisans and businesses to adapt to e-commerce.

13           The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department  
14 of business, economic development, and tourism for the purposes  
15 of this Act.

16           SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general  
17 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                    or so



1 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and  
2 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal  
3 year 2024-2025 for the purpose of improving Native Hawaiian  
4 communities and culture by providing a physical co-working space  
5 and an innovation, entrepreneur, and resource center that  
6 provides workshops, counseling, loan assistance, and broadband  
7 access.

8       The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department  
9 of business, economic development, and tourism for the purposes  
10 of this Act.

11       SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general  
12 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                    or so  
13 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and  
14 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal  
15 year 2024-2025 for the repatriation and reburials of Native  
16 Hawaiians nationally and internationally.

17       The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department  
18 of land and natural resources for the purposes of this Act.

19       SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on June 30, 3000.



**Report Title:**

Native Hawaiian Communities; DBEDT; DLNR; Appropriations

**Description:**

Appropriates funds to the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism and Department of Land and Natural Resources to improve Native Hawaiian communities and culture through various assistance services. Effective 6/30/3000.  
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