

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO A HAWAII STATE CAPITOL WELCOME CENTER FACILITY.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The director of finance is authorized to issue
- 2 general obligation bonds in the sum of \$ or so much
- 3 thereof as may be necessary and the same sum or so much thereof
- 4 as may be necessary is appropriated for fiscal year 2023-2024
- 5 for the purpose of designing and constructing a Hawaii state
- 6 capitol welcome center facility on the Diamond Head side of the
- 7 capitol lawn, or another appropriate location, to serve as an
- 8 educational welcome center for visitors to the Hawaii state
- 9 capitol, assist students visiting the state capitol during field
- 10 trips, assist other visitors with self-guided tours, educate the
- 11 public through a museum detailing the history of Hawaii from the
- 12 monarchy to statehood, and include a gift shop and a café or
- 13 coffee shop.
- 14 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
- 15 of accounting and general services.
- 16 SECTION 2. The appropriation made for the capital
- 17 improvement project authorized by this Act shall not lapse at



- 1 the end of the fiscal biennium for which the appropriation is
- 2 made; provided that all moneys from the appropriation
- 3 unencumbered as of June 30, 2026, shall lapse as of that date.
- 4 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2023.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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### Report Title:

Hawaii State Capitol Welcome Center; Bonds; Appropriation

### Description:

Appropriates funds for the design and construction of a Hawaii State Capitol Welcome Center.

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