A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT.

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

1 SECTION 1. In accordance with section 9 of article VII of the Hawaii State Constitution and sections 37-91 and 37-93, 2 3 Hawaii Revised Statutes, the legislature has determined that the appropriations contained in Act 164, Regular Session of 2023, 4 and this Act will cause the state general fund expenditure 5 ceiling for fiscal year 2024-2025 to be exceeded by 6 per cent. This current declaration takes 7 8 into account general fund appropriations authorized for fiscal year 2024-2025 in Act 164, Regular Session of 2023, and this Act 10 only. The reasons for exceeding the general fund expenditure 11 ceiling are that: 12 The appropriation made in this Act is necessary to 13 serve the public interest; and 14 The appropriation made in this Act meets the needs (2) 15 addressed by this Act. SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general 16

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revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$

or so

- 1 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2024-2025 for
- 2 an additional fifteen full-time equivalent (15.0 FTE) sheriff
- 3 positions for transitional law enforcement officer activities in
- 4 Lahaina.
- 5 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 6 law enforcement for the purposes of this Act.
- 7 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2024.

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Report Title:

Department of Law Enforcement; Sheriffs; Positions; Expenditure Ceiling; Appropriation

Description:

Appropriates funds to the Department of Law Enforcement for an additional fifteen full-time equivalent (15.0 FTE) sheriff positions for transitional law enforcement officer activities in Lahaina. Declares that the general fund expenditure ceiling is exceeded. Makes an appropriation.

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