# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO A LEAVE GRANT PROGRAM.

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

- ${f 1}$  SECTION 1. (a) The department of labor and industrial
- 2 relations shall conduct an actuarial study on a potential leave
- 3 grant pilot program to help small businesses with up to one
- 4 hundred employees offer their employees paid family leave and
- 5 sick leave. The study shall identify the following, at minimum:
- **6** (1) The potential costs of the grants that would be paid
- 7 to small businesses; and
- **8** (2) The costs to administer the pilot program.
- 9 (b) The department of labor and industrial relations shall
- 10 submit a report of its findings and recommendations, including
- 11 any proposed legislation, to the legislature no later than
- 12 twenty days prior to the convening of the regular session of
- **13** 2024.
- 14 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 15 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
- 16 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and
- 17 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal

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- 1 year 2024-2025 for the department of labor and industrial
- 2 relations to conduct an actuarial study pursuant to section 1 of
- 3 this Act.
- 4 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
- 5 of labor and industrial relations for the purposes of this Act.
- 6 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on June 30, 3000.

### Report Title:

DLIR; Paid Family Leave; Paid Sick Leave; Grants; Pilot Program; Study; Appropriations

### Description:

Requires the department of labor and industrial relations to conduct an actuarial study on a leave grant pilot program to help small businesses offer their employees paid family leave and paid sick leave. Appropriates funds. Effective 6/30/3000. (HD2)

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