A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the Keaukaha
- 2 homestead in Hilo, Hawaii marked their one-hundred-year
- 3 anniversary last year. It is considered one of the pioneers of
- 4 the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act as it is the second Hawaiian
- 5 homestead project in the State. The homestead location is near
- 6 ocean waters and according to the Hawaii Cesspool Prioritization
- 7 Tool, cesspools near ocean waters are usually designated as
- 8 priority level 1, which have the greatest potential to impact
- 9 human health and the environment and are directly adjacent to
- 10 sensitive natural resources like coral reefs or drinking water
- 11 aquifers.
- 12 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate funds to the
- 13 department of Hawaiian home lands to expand the sewer network
- 14 and lines within and throughout the Keaukaha homestead.
- 15 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 16 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
- 17 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2025-2026 and

- 1 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
- 2 year 2026-2027 for the expansion of the sewer network and lines
- 3 through department of Hawaiian home lands parcels in Keaukaha in
- 4 Hilo, Hawaii; provided that funds may also be used for
- 5 interconnection to the sewer network by individual homesteads
- 6 and transferred to the county of Hawaii for the same purpose.
- 7 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
- 8 of Hawaiian home lands for the purposes of this Act.
- 9 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 3000.

Report Title:

DHHL; Sewer Infrastructure; Appropriation

Description:

Appropriates funds to the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to expand the sewer network and lines within and throughout the Keaukaha homestead. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)

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