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JAN 17 2025

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE POMAIKAI HAWAII FUND.

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

1	SECTION 1. Chapter 171, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3	and to read as follows:
4	" <u>§171-</u> Pomaikai Hawaii fund. There is established
5	outside the state treasury, a trust fund to be known as the
6	"Pomaikai Hawaii Fund". The fund shall consist of per
7	cent of all visitor green fees collected by the department
8	pursuant to Act , Session Laws of Hawaii 2025. It is
9	hereby declared that any and all sums contributed or paid from
10	any source to the fund created by this section, and all assets
11	of the fund including any and all interest and earnings, are and
12	shall be held in trust for the exclusive use and benefit of the
13	beneficiaries and shall not be subject to appropriation for any
14	other purpose whatsoever. The fund shall be placed under the
15	department of budget and finance for administrative purposes.
16	For the purposes of this section, "beneficiary" means a
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17 bona fide resident of the State."



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1	SECT	ION 2. The director of finance shall adopt rules in	
2	accordance with chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to		
3	determine:		
4	(1)	The structure of the board that shall administer the	
5		Pomaikai Hawaii fund;	
6	(2)	Eligibility criteria to receive compensation from the	
7		fund, including the frequency and amount; and	
8	(3)	Investment criteria for the Pomaikai Hawaii fund;	
9		provided that the criteria shall be modeled after the	
10		Hawaii employees' retirement system pursuant to	
11		section 88-119, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and the	
12		Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust fund	
13		pursuant to part IV of chapter 87A, Hawaii Revised	
14		Statutes.	
15	SECT	ION 3. New statutory material is underscored.	
16	SECT	ION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.	
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INTRODUCED BY:



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Report Title:

Department of Budget and Finance; Pomaikai Hawaii Fund; Visitor Green Fee; Trust Fund; Established; Rules

Description:

Establishes the Pomaikai Hawaii Fund within the Department of Budget and Finance for administrative purposes. Requires the Department of Budget and Finance to adopt administrative rules to administer the Pomaikai Hawaii Fund.

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