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ACT 1

S. B. 1.

A Bill for an Act Relating to Home Exemptions for Purposes of Real Property Taxation for the 1968 Tax Year.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. This Act is hereby declared to be an urgency measure deemed necessary in the public interest within the meaning of section 11 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.

The following is a statement of facts constituting such urgency:

Act 255, S.L.H. 1967, changed the deadline for the filing of home exemptions under the real property tax law for the tax year 1968 from January 15, 1968 to December 31, 1967. Many taxpayers, including senior citizens entitled to a multiple home exemption, were unaware of the new deadline and were not able to file their claims on time. It is urgent and in the public interest that immediate action be taken to grant taxpayers an extension of time in which to file their claims for home exemptions for the tax year 1968.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any laws to the contrary and applicable only for the tax year 1968, the time in which a claimant may file a return for and claim a home exemption pursuant to the provisions of section 128-13, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955, as amended, is hereby extended to and including March 11, 1968.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved March 4, 1968.)