ACT 145

H.B. NO. 2230-84

A Bill for an Act Relating to Special Purpose Revenue Bonds.

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

SECTION 1. The Legislature finds that relatively low prices for oil and gas have contributed to an alarming lack of concern for the development of alternative energy resources and that development of such resources should occur before a recurrence of the energy crisis of the early 1970s. The legislature finds that part V, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, permits the State to financially assist industrial enterprises through the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds.

The legislature finds and declares that the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds under this Act is in the public interest and for the public health, safety, and general welfare of the State.

SECTION 2. Pursuant to part V, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, the department of budget and finance, with the approval of the governor, is authorized to issue special purpose revenue bonds in a total amount not to exceed \$12,000,000 in one or more series for the purpose of assisting Kamakani Ikaika, Inc., a California corporation, or a partnership in which Kamakani Ikaika, Inc., is a general partner, in the generation of new capital for the establishment of a 5 megawatt wind farm and related facilities. The legislature finds and determines that the activity and facilities of Kamakani Ikaika, Inc., constitutes a project as defined in part V, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and the financing thereof is assistance to an industrial enterprise.

SECTION 3. The special purpose revenue bonds issued under this Act shall be issued pursuant to part V, chapter 39Å, Hawaii Revised Statutes, relating to the power to issue special purpose revenue bonds to assist industrial enterprises.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 24, 1984.)