
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE PRESENT A HOMELAND
SECURITY PLAN TO THE LEGISLATURE.

1 WHEREAS, the scourge of terrorism continues to threaten our
2 world, our nation, and our State; and

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4 WHEREAS, the federal government has made \$80,000,000 in
5 funding available through the Office for Domestic Preparedness
6 and the state Homeland Security Program to help protect our
7 State and its people; and

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9 WHEREAS, the state Department of Defense seeks to expend
10 the \$80,000,000 for homeland security in Hawaii; and

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12 WHEREAS, the Legislature is also deeply concerned about the
13 protection of Hawaii's residents and visitors; now, therefore,

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15 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Twenty-third
16 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, the
17 House of Representatives concurring, that the state Department
18 of Defense is requested to submit to the Legislature for
19 approval a homeland security plan for the expenditure of the
20 \$80,000,000 from the Office for Domestic Preparedness and the
21 state Homeland Security Program; and

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23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, in preparing the homeland
24 security plan, the state Department of Defense is requested to
25 include:

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27 (1) An assessment of the threat of terroristic incidents;
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29 (2) The development of plans to deal with terroristic
30 incidents;
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32 (3) A description of training and exercises necessary to
33 implement the plans;



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- 2 (4) A discussion of issues relating to the procurement of
- 3 equipment, materials, and supplies essential to meet
- 4 the potential threats of conventional, chemical,
- 5 biological, radiological, and nuclear weapons;
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- 7 (5) The identification of any necessary procurement or
- 8 taking of infrastructure for essential operational,
- 9 storage, or administrative purposes;
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- 11 (6) An assessment of measures to increase effective
- 12 communications capability with local government
- 13 agencies and the public regarding incidents and
- 14 threats; and
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- 16 (7) An assessment of measures to increase the deployment
- 17 of law enforcement and first responder personnel and
- 18 the capabilities to detect, prevent, protect against,
- 19 respond to, and recover from terrorist attacks; and
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21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the state Department of Defense
 22 is requested to present the homeland security plan to the
 23 Legislature for approval as expeditiously as possible; and

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 25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, in preparing the homeland
 26 security plan, the Department is requested to include ways to
 27 help the counties increase their security efforts; and

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 29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, as much as practicable, the
 30 state Department of Defense is requested to collaborate with the
 31 counties to develop the homeland security plan and to determine
 32 how the moneys from the Office for Domestic Preparedness and the
 33 state Homeland Security Program can be expended most
 34 effectively; and

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 36 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
 37 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governor; Adjutant
 38 General; mayors of the City and County of Honolulu, County of
 39 Hawaii, County of Maui, and County of Kauai; and members of the
 40 County Councils of Honolulu, Hawaii, Maui, and Kauai.