
HOUSE 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 House of Representatives of the
16 Twenty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
17 of 2006, the House of Representatives concurring, that
18 Department of Defense is requested to submit to the Legislature
19 for 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 RESOLVED that the Homeland Security Plan shall
24 include:
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- 26 (1) An assessment of the threat of terrorist incidents;
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- 28 (2) The development of plans to deal with terrorist
29 incidents;
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- 31 (3) Training and exercises to implement such plans;
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- 1 (4) The procurement of equipment, materials, and supplies
- 2 essential to meet the potential threats of
- 3 conventional, chemical, biological, radiological, and
- 4 nuclear weapons;
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- 6 (5) The identification of any necessary procurement or
- 7 taking of infrastructure for essential operational,
- 8 storage, or administrative purposes;
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- 10 (6) The ability to increase effective communications
- 11 capability with local government agencies and the
- 12 public regarding incidents and threats; and
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- 14 (7) The ability to increase the deployment of law
- 15 enforcement and first responder personnel, and the
- 16 capabilities to detect, prevent, protect against,
- 17 respond to, and recover from terrorist attacks;
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21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Homeland Security Plan be
22 presented to the Legislature for approval as expeditiously as
23 possible; and

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25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Homeland Security Plan
26 include ways to help the counties increase their security
27 efforts; and

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

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

