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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION OR ANY OF ITS REGIONAL SUBSIDIARY CORPORATIONS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that significant public 2 benefit will be realized through the planning, construction, 3 improvement of, and purchase and replacement of equipment for 4 the facilities of the Hawaii health systems corporation or any 5 of its regional subsidiary corporations who provide healthcare services and facilities for all residents. The legislature 6 further finds that the issuance of revenue bonds under this Act 7 8 is in the public interest and for the benefit of public health, 9 safety, and welfare.

SECTION 2. Pursuant to part , chapter 39, 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 \$100,000,000, in one or more series, for the purpose of assisting the Hawaii health systems corporation, or any of its regional subsidiary corporations to finance the construction, improvement, and



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1	equipment	of its healthcare facilities, including the
2	constructi	on of a new heart, brain, and spine center on Maui,
3	which will offer the following:	
4	(1)	Cardiovascular Services;
5		(A) Interventional cardiology;
6		(B) Electrophsyiology;
7		(C) Vascular/endovascular;
8		(D) Heart surgery;
9		(E) Cardiac rehab;
10		(F) Disease management;
11	(2)	Brain Services;
12		(A) Interventional neuro radiology;
13	(3)	Neurosurgery; and
14	(4)	Purchase of new and replacement equipment for the
15		center.
16	SECTI	CON 3. Bond terms. (a) The principal of and interest
17	on the revenue bonds issued pursuant to section 2 shall be	
18	payable solely from and secured solely by the revenues produced	
19	by the heart, brain, and spine center financed by the bonds.	
20	(b)	The revenue bonds may also be used to finance
21	capitalized interest on the bonds and any other expenses	
22	incidental thereto or connected therewith, including planning,	
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design, engineering, inspection, legal, and fiscal agent fees
 and cots of the issuance of the revenue bonds.

3 (c) The bonds shall be special, limited obligations of the
4 State, payable exclusively from and secured by a lien on the
5 revenues of the heart, brain, and spine center financed by the
6 bonds.

7 (d) The revenue bonds shall not be secured by the taxing 8 power of the State. The principal on the bonds and any premiums 9 upon the redemption thereof shall not constitute or evidence a 10 debt of the State, nor a legal or equitable pledge, charge, 11 lien, or encumbrance upon any of its property, or upon any of 12 its income, receipts, or revenues, except the revenues of the 13 heart, brain, and spine center finance by the bonds.

SECTION 4. The authorization to issue revenue bonds underthis Act shall lapse on June 30, 2012.

16 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2007.

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Description:

Authorizes revenue bonds to assist Hawaii health systems corporation for construction, improvement, and equipment of its healthcare facilities.

